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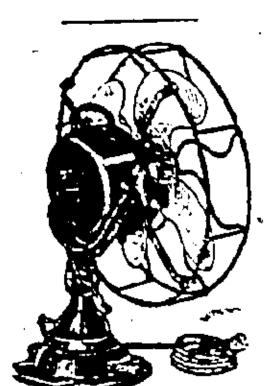
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LONDON, But 19. The United Kingdom 19:288,000 tons, the United States 12:314,000 tons, Japan 3,063,000 tons, France 3,046,000 tons, Italy 2,378,000 tons, and Norway 2,285,000 tons, is the order of sea-going steam tonnage given in Lloyd's Register of 1921-22 which records 33,000 steamers and sailing vessels of a minimum of a hundred tons. The world's gross tonnage is nearly 62,000,000. The United States owns 40 per cent of the world's sailing tonnage which is five per cent., of the total tonnage compared with eight per cent. in 1914. The United Kingdom owns 352 per cent, of the world's ocean-going steam tonnage, compared with 442 per cent., in 1914. Great development in the use of liquid fuel is recorded since 1914, when there were 364 steamers of 1,310 thousand tons burning oil. There are now 2,536 vessels of 12,797,000 tons burning oil.

SHIPPING BOARD LOSSES

\$280,000,000 MORE THAN ESTIMATED.

WASHINGTON, Idly 19.

Mr. Lasker, Chairman of the United States Shipping Board announces that the operations of the Board's fleet during the past figural year resulted in a loss of approximately \$380,000,000, which is \$280,000,000 more than was estimated. He adds that the Government's venture in the merchant marine business last year involved a total expenditure of \$680,000,000. It is estimated that it will cost \$300,000,000 to operate the fleet during the present year.

A GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

EXCITEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

LONDON, July 19. The Government was defeated in the House of Commons to s evening in the course of a discussion on the Finance Bill. An amendment moved by a Coalition Unionist supported by Mr. Asquith exempting supported by societies from the corporation tax was carried against the Government by 137 rates to 135 amidst loud Opposition cheers. Sir Donald Maclean asked what the Government was going to do. Mr. Austen Chamberlain replied that it intended to proceed with the Bill. Opposition cries of "Resign!" and Ministerial cheers. The House then proceeded to consider other amendments and excitement subsided.

REBUILDING RHEIMS LIBRARY.

CARNEGIE FOUNDATION'S DONATES \$200,000.

PARIS, July 19. Dr. Murray Bulter, President of the Carnegie Foundation, laid the first stone of the library at Rheims which is being rebuilt, thanks to the Foundation's donation of \$200,000. The American Ambassador, Mr. Herrick, made a speech hoping that the new library would symbolise everlasting Franco-American friendship.

PRINCE TO VISIT JAPAN.

TRIP TO BE MADE IN MARCH OR APRIL NEXT.

LONDON, July 19. The Japanese Government has formally invited the Prince of Wales to visit Japan after his tour-of India. It is understood that the King welcomes the invitation. There is every reason to believe that the Prince of Wales

will visit Japan in March or April of 1922. EXCHEQUER RETURNS.

RECEIPTS SHOW BIG DROP EXPENDITURE LITTLE ONE.

LONDON, July 19.

The Exchequer returns for the period from April 1 to July 16 are as follows:-Receipts, £253,500,000, and expenditure £305,500,000, compared with £374,000,000 and £321,000,000 respectively for the corresponding period in 1920.

BISLEY SHOOTING.

ENGLAND WINS MACKINNON CUP.

LONDON, July 19. At Bisley the Mackinnon Cup contest resulted as follows:-England 1,521 points, Scotland 1,480, Canada 1,463 Ireland 1,461, and Wales 1,233.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

SENATE TO BE REPRESENTED ON AMERICAN DELEGATION.

NEW YORK, July 19.

It is understood that President Harding has decided that the Senate shall be represented on the American delegation to the disarmament conference owing to the Senate's joint, responsibility with the Executive with regard to America's foreign relations.

NEW REPUBLICS FORM ALLIANCE.

The Lithuanian Foreign Minister on July 15 announced that an alliance had been concluded among Lithusnia, Latvia, and Kathonia. Periodical tain circulated by the German Governmeetings of their ministers to discuss questions of defence, trade, and foreign policy had been arranged.

THE DOLLAR.

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FIFTY DUCKS

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Convicted of having been guilty of cruelty to ducks a Chinese who was presented at the Police Court this morning was ordered by Magistrate Orme to pay a fine of five dollars.

Sanitary Inspector Mr. McEwen. who prosecuted, related that the defendant was found this morning carrying five small baskets which each contained 50 ducks. There was no matting in the bottom of the baskets and the birds' legs were protruding. The Magistrate wanted to know whether notices had been posted up advising that baskets should be lined with matting. It seemed to him that

it ought to be done. Inspector Appleton replied that the Sanitary Department would see to the matter.

WATER POLO.

WILTS BEAT R.H.K.Y.C.

Yesterday afternoon's game at the R.H.K.Y.C. club house resulted in a walk-over for the Wilts men. The Royals" unfortunately were only able to field two of the players who had been selected to represent the Club and the other five places had to be filled from bathers picked up

at random. The teams eventually lined up as

follows:--2nd Wiltshires .- Wood; Samut and Smith-Dowse: Collins; Alderman, Le Hurey and Drew.

R.H.K.Y.C.—Bingham; McCann and Hewitt; Anderson; Franks, Finch and Rodger.

The soldiers were in good form and at the close of the first half Le Hurey had notched three goals and Drew had scored two. Early in the second half the ranks of the "Royals" were weakened by the retirement through cramp of Franks and for the rest of the game they played

Finch worked like a Trojan but could only manage one goal and, after Le Hurey had scored two more, the Wiltshires found themselves the winners by 7 goals to 1.

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a very large number. Cheques and Orders may be made payable to "Dr. Barnardo's Founder's Day Fund" and crossed, and sent to the Director, Rear-Admiral Sir Harry Stileman, 18 to 26, Stepney Causeway, London, E. 1.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Moll.) FRENCH NOTE TO GERMANY.

Paris, July 18th. In a Note to Germany, the French Government gives precise facts and figures showing that disarmament in Germany is still largely fictitious, and that the situation in Upper Silesia is increasingly dangerous. France, therefore, deems it advisable to send reinforcements.
The timeliness of such a measure was

at once demonstrated by events, Allied officers being attacked, yesterday, at various places in Upper Silesia. France's aim is solely the execution of the Peace Treaty and the restoration of peace in Europe. The report of alleged rivalry between France and Great Briment Press is only the clumsiest attempt to split the Entente Cordiale, which is the keystone of world peace. - Haves.

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IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

FREIGHT RATES REDUCED.

Since our last report, dated April 23, says the Australian Monthly Market Report for May trade conditions in Australia have steadily impoved, although the position is still far from normal. Largely as a result of the satisfactory sales of Australian wheat which have been effected, increased funds are now becoming available in London, and already quite a noticeable improvement has occurred in the exchange position. That the financial position has not been righted, however, is evident, as the latest import and export statistics published show that the trade balance is still very much against us, although the enforced action the banks in withholding ordinary exchange facilities is materially reducing this adverse balance. Ocean freight rates have undergone little change since last writing, but the tenden y is doubtless a downward one, the current rate on wheat and flour to South Africa being 50 - per ton, as against 57 6 a month ago, whilst to Manila and Hongkong the rate has been reduced as from June 1 to 10 - per 200 lb. There is a plentiful supply of steam tonnage offering for South Africa, the United

able time. The labour and industrial outlook is, if anything, somewhat improved, due to fairly widespread unemployment, as it is naturally to be expected that with a large body of unemployed there will be fewer strikes and an improved volume of output on the part of those who are at work. Some wery large extensions have been planned in the manufacturing andustry, particularly in the manufacture of metals, machinery, and rubber and woollen goods, and although, as we write, the majority of mineral mines throughout the Commonwealth are closed down owing to the collapse of the metal market, and the immediate prospects of this industry are, therefore not too bright, it is expected that advances will be made immediately the financial position becomes easier.

Kingdom, and the various Eastern

trade routes, and the rates to all these destinations is lower than we

have known them for some consider-

Manufacturers are seeking to extend their export trade in anticipation of their increased output, and in the Latter direction the Federal and the State Governments are assisting by the appointment of Trade Commissioners abroad, and officers have already been appointed to China and Italy, while the Government has promised to largely extend this system. In the manufacturing world an unsettling factor at the moment is the Customs Tariff, which has recently been introduced in the Federal Parliament, and is to be disposed of this session. This tariff which is naturally a very contentious measure, provides for extremely heavy duties on many manufactured goods, and, if it becomes law, will be of immense assistance to manufacturers, enabling them to compete with the foreign manufactured

The agricultural outlook is very bright indeed, although the autumn rains, which have not yet fallen, would be very welcome in the country districts. In the wheat belt of Australia growers are already work, sowing early for the next crop. The positio with regard to the Australian wool clip is, unfortunately, very critical, owing to the serious fall in wool walues on the London market. Exceedingly large stocks of wool are on hand in Australia, and a body, styled British-Australasian Wool Realisation Association, has been formed to undertake the very difficult task of disposing of the clip. The failure to secure good prices for Australian wool which is usually our largest asket—has not improved the aiready difficult financial position.

article.

Transportation services, both insand and coastal, are now normal again, and labour troubles would seem to be at an end, for a time at lesst. The flour-milling industry in 7 Australia is still in a somewhat pre carious position, as orders for flour are not nearly up to the usual wolume, and indications for the rest | of the season are not very hopeful. The majority of the mills throughout the country are working on short time, while we know of a few that Mave been forced to close down al-#ogether.

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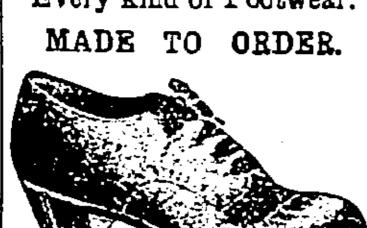
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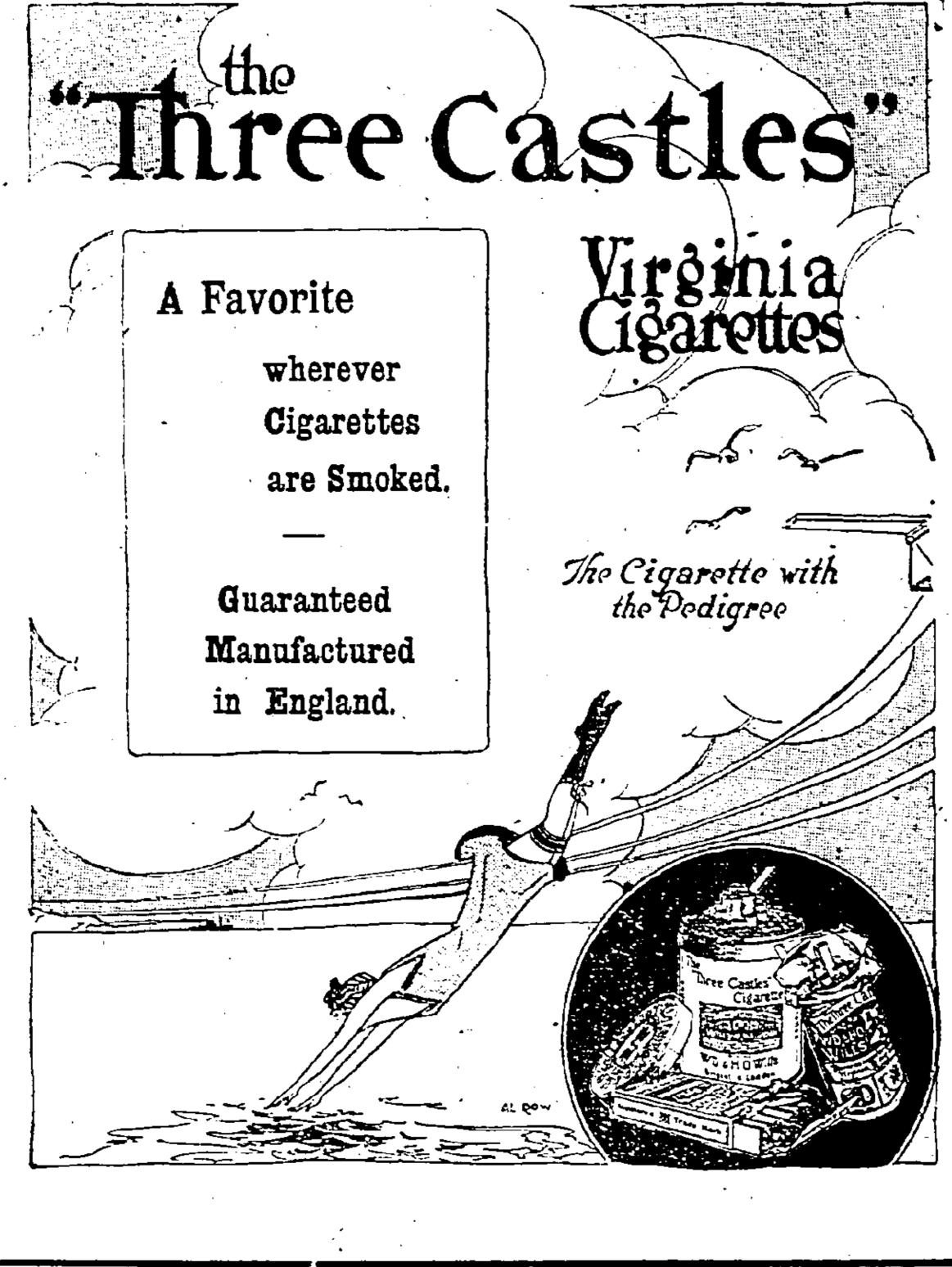
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systems in use. ter of Shipping, Mr H. M. Cleminson, with the Marconi Company, the Marceni Company has effered to Marceni Company and certain shipshipewiers in respect to all new owners. thipowrere. This was redrasted from plus £30 approved in 1918).

to call upon owrers to subscribe to the Chamber could approve Evenshould be made clear that the latter delay. while on board were the servants of from the company.

this will prevent considerable wastage: which they will be committed under of time at the instrument, and save the new agreement will date from the considerably in wireless personnel. It actual date of installation of their apis hoped to change the present S.O.S. paratus, and not from the date on call for another one to which the which they signed this amended instrument will be more sensitive, agreement. The other conditions even in the most crowded waters, of the amended agreement will The Marconi Company made one or apply from the date of signature two valuable concessions to owners by the shipowner with the in the new agreement.

THE NEW AGREEMENT.

In May, 1920, the wirelesss operators demanded from the Marconi Company an increase in pay, and increase on behalf of shipowners, on would commit shipowners to pay the The general manager of the Cham. increase to the Marconi Company. At a meeting at which represent-

Jeurnal of Commerce representative, and of the Marconi Company were and remarked that while the present, the Shipping Federation ap prolonged commitments into which actual agreement was drawn up proved certain increases to operators. At the same meeting in response wish of shipcwrers was that there to the suggestion of the Chamber of should be free competition between Shipping, Mr. Isaacs, on behalt of the wireless comparies in the sulply the Marconi Company, agreed to ing of installations for thipping. The arrend the Chamber of Shipping agreement embedies the terms the Agreement then existing between the

irstaliations, and also applies to the Newotiations for the amendment 200 shirs which have been fitted with of the agreement have proceeded Marconiarparatus during the regotia- | since that date, and the Marconi tions. The Marconi Company has C mpany have given the Chamber also effered all other shipowners of Shipping all facilities to ascertain carrying its installation the benefit of the exect amount due from shipthe new terms in place of the old. owners in respect of the increase of Thus it will enable an owner who wages to operators. This amount fitted wireless in 1917 under the ten his not been assessed on the basis of years' agreement to terminate this in actual and estimated figures at the 1922 on telms set out in the revised rate of £78 per operator per annum party of operators prior to the form, if he so desires. The Conven. for the period 16th May, 1920, to 30th tion of 1914 was the first wireless Jine, 1921, additional to the amount legislation, and the Marconi Com. die under the Chamber of Shipting rany drew up an agreement with Agreement, namely, £130 (ie., £100, time to time, and the shiptwrets accordance, therefore, with the rever quite krew where they were. Clanter of Shipping Agreement. In 1917 the Chamber of Shipping shipewaters are now informed that irvited the Marconi Company to lay 4237 eft of £78 per operator per preporals for a definite draft before in um for the period in question or the Chamber, and to undertake not fro tota for any shorter period is due to the Marconi Company; credit will more enerous terms than those which be given for any bonuses paid. As a large part of the amount accrued tually the revised form of sgreement! some time ago, shipowners are asked was arrived at. Shiptwhere felt to settle the claim with the Marconi with regard to operators that it Company with the least possible

In the amended Chamber of Shipthe owner, and must follow the cap- ping agreement—the terms of which tain's orders, not only in regard to in the view of the Chamber fulfil the Under the new agreement the ship- of the agreement under which they efficers and other turks, or

exception that owners will retain the benefit of the undermentioned concessions agreed with the Chamber during negetiations concerning the new form, viz.:-

ownership of apparatus.

(b) Cessation of responsibility for operators' wages one month after lay-up of a ship has commenced pro-

this as a material concession by the Marconi Company, which should! explained the new agreement to a stives of the Chamber of Shipping remove in a large measure the object tion felt by many shipowners to the they entered under pressure of war. It will be noticed that under the amended terms it is open to shipowners either to provide their own

> Messis. Siemens Bros. and Co., Lid., state that they are prepared to accept the same basis of payment for t wages of operators for the terrificit. May 6, 1920—June 30, 1921 : i.e Radio Co. cres per prover ver operator or operators supplied u rach obsolete warships and other vessels

MARINE.

In the House of Commons, Sir John wireless work, but in any other duties promise that Mr. Isanes voluntarily Burcher asked the President in the which could be conveniently under- gave in May, 1920-the Marcon: Beard of Trade whether the attention taken by wireless operators. For Company offer to all shippwhere the hid been called to that portion of the instance, they could give very effect option of signing on agreement on report of the Select Court te on tive assistance in tallying cargoes, the amended terms in substitution Pensions which recommended hat all

(a) Free transmission of messages

vided notice of lay-up is given. The Chamber of Shipping regard

operators or to obtain operators from the Marconi Company. The price which the Marconi Company will charge for providing operators will depend upon the wages current from time to time, but the Marconi Company have agreed that the basis of payment shall be the sum of \$130 payable by shipowners under the original Chamber of Shipping agreement, and that the further charge, if any, shall depend upon the increase of wage sanctioned from time to time by the Shipping Federation, as compared with the cost to the Marconi Comnieering in May, 1920.

PENSIONS FOR MERCANTILE

PECOMMENDATIONS TRACERORS ATTENTION

cwner may employ his own operator work at present. It will be noticed Mercantile Marine who seems afficial New Orleans via the Suez-Canal has from outside, or le may obtain one that the amerded terms provide, during the war in Britist marchant become a scene of a three-cornered inter alia, for freed m to the Vessel's should be reveried as contest between Japanese, British, steel, On the subject of operators it is shipowner to give up the use of having been engaged in war and American ships. Previously, important to remember that there is the Marconi apperatus on certain service, provided such service was Messra. Harrisons and Crossfeld had recondition the vessel this week, and every hope that in a very short time terms five years after the date of performed under circumstances where a monopoly, with special rights for it is hoped that it will be completed? automatic calling devices will be installation. Shipowners abould ob- the normal risks or strain were transporting Indian hemp, gunny in time to be visited by the King atapproved by the Board of Trade, and serve that the period of five years for increased by war conditions; begs, bonedust, etc. to America (by Cowes in August.

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whether this recommendation and, if which is simply meant that nobody not, whether immediate attention else happened to be doing the busiwould be given to the matter.

mendation is receiving attention, and the line. Subsequently, an American I hope to be able to let my hon, and I shipping company has opened a learned friend know in the course of regular run with a weekly service in a few days the terms of the decision co-operation with an Indian firm, arrived at.

"THE DREADNOUGHT" SOLD.

The Admiralty has decided to sell 113 warships to Messrs. T W Ward. operators on the basis of hat flat Ltd., of Albion Works, Sheffield, who rate lut upon the some consection have for years been purchasing

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INDO-AMERICAN RUN

The Mainichi says that the India-American line between Calcutta and

ness). In June last year, however, Mr. Stanley Baldwin.—This recom- the Osaka Shosen Kaisha invaded followed by the Dollar line and another. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha has also an idea of taking a share. There are indications that rivalry regarding freight rates will become

THE QUEST.

SHACKLETON'S NEW SHIP. /

In a corner of the Southampton Docks is tucked away a little vesselwhose travels may one day grip the attention of the whole world. It is the "Foca L," re-christened "The-Quest," in which Sir Ernest Shackleton, the explorer, hopes to set out late this summer on a new expedition.

The vessel, which is a two-masted sloop with an auxiliary steam engine . and was originally Norwegian, is of great strength. Its bows are of wood-5ft. thick, its hull is about 2ft; thick, and the bows and fore part are strengthened with thick-plate of

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(BOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

FRIDAY, July 22, 1921, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,

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as she now lies. The "Hong Moh" was wrecked on or about 3rd March 1921, off Swatow. Terms :-- Cash on fall of the hammer. HUGHES & ROUGH, Auctioneers.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

Hongkong, July 14, 1921.

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July 22, 1921, at 2.30 p.m. at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vosux Road, Corner of Ice House Street, Henderson 4-Cly. Motor Cycle, guaranteed in perfect road condition. Terms :- Cash on delivery. HUGHES & HOUGH,

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED)

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HUGHES & HOUGH Auctioneers. Hongkong, July 18, 1921.

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INTIMATIONS.

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YISITING Masons are invited to attend the INSTALLATION of the Rt. Worshipful District Grand Master Designate (WOR. BRO. PERCY HOLYOAK, D. D. G. M.) TO-DAY, 20th July, at 5.15 P.M., for 5.30 r.m. precisely, at Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of ONE A DOLLAR per Share for the six months ending 30th June, 1921, will be of the Company may be seen at the PAYABLE on TUESDAY, August 9th, Company's Registered Office in the on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the aforesaid, and a comparison of the Company's Office.

Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, August 2nd to TUESDAY, August 9th, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can Association Memorandum differs be Registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

> G. E. ELLAMS, Acting Secretary.

> > NOTICE.

THE GENERAL OFFICER COM-MANDING, Chiea Command, brings to the notice of all concerned that no soldier can be placed under stoppages of pay for a private debt.

Hongkong, July 18, 1921.

If, therefore, inhabitants soldiers to contract debte, they will do and also for the following further so at their own risk.

Hongkong, July 19, 1921.

THE HONGKONG SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Fatrons.

H. E. The Governor, Sir R. E. Stubbs, K C M.G., and Lady Stubbs. President, Mr. Justice Gompertz. Hon. Treasurer, J. H. Ramsav. Hon. Secretary, B. L. Frost.

The objects of the Society are:-I. The education of the people by animals.

The appointment of a paid inspector to supervise the work. The possibility of taking over and running the Dogs' Home.

The provision of drinking troughs for dogs in different parts of the Colony.

The labour of other charities is divided among many associations but this charity stands alone—the defender of defenceless dumb animals.

Those desirous of becoming members of the Society, the annual subscription to which is \$2 for adults and 25 cents for children, and those who wish to make it possible for the above object to be carried out by making donations. will greatly oblige by forwarding same to the Hon. Treasurer, c/o The Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM. THE PETITION

May be signed at the following places: Hongkong Club, .. Phoenix Club, The Engineer's Institute, Kowloon Cricket Club, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Club de Recreio,

Victoria Recreation Club, Lusitano Club. Taikoo Recreation Club. Kowloon Dock Reading Room, Messrs. Wiseman's Ltd. Mesers. Lane, Crawford Ltd, Messre, Kelly & Walsh Ltd. F. P. de V. Soares' Office.

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INTIMATIONS

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GEN ERAL MEETING of the above Company will be held at the HONG-KONG HOTEL Pedder Street, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the TWENTY-Full dress or white mess jacket to be SEVENTH DAY OF JULY, 1921 AT NOON, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, approv ing the draft new Memorandum of Association of the Company which will be submitted to the Meeting. print of such draft new Memorandum of Association and a print of the existing Memorandum of Association Hongkong Hotel, Pedder Street print of the existing Memorandum The TRANSFER BOOKS of the of Association with the print of the draft new Memorandum of Association will show wherein the draft new Association. Should Meeting approve of such Memorandum of Association with or without modification, the subjoined Resolution will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely :-

(1). That the provisions of the Company's Memorandum of Association with respect to its objects be altered so as to read as shewn in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chairman of this Meeting.

purposes, namely :-For the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, approving the draft new Articles of the Company which will be submitted to, the Meeting. A print of such new Articles and a print of the existing Articles may be seen at the Company's Registered Office in the Hongkong Hotel Pedder Street aforesaid. In such print the portions of the proposed new Articles which differ from the existing Articles are indicated by underlining in black ink and by marginal notes. Should the Meeting approve of such new Articles with or propaganda, etc., in the knowledge without modification. the subjoined of the proper treatment of dumb Resolution will be proposed as an Extraordinary Resolution, namely :-

(2). That the new Articles already approved by this Meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof, be and the same are hereby adopted as the Articles of the Company to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing Articles thereof.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING | bereafter be published by them. HONGKONG HOTEL. Street aforesaid, on SATURDAY, THIRTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1921, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings at the above mentioned Meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, as Special Resolutions, the above mentioned Resolutions (Nos. 1 and

Should the first of the above Resolutions (No. 1) be confirmed as a Special Resolution by the requisite majority, the alterations in the Company's memorandum of Association consequently involved will be submitted to the Supreme Court of Hongkong for confirmation.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the said SECOND EX-TRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING to be held as aforesaid will be continued for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, passing the following further Resolutions as Extraordinary Resolutions, namely :-

(3). That each of the existing 20,000 fully paid up shares of \$50 each constituting the Company's present Capital of \$1,000,000 be divided into 5 fully paid up shares of \$10 each so as to make such Capital \$1,000,000 consisting of 100,000 fully paid up shares of \$10 each. consisting as aforesaid,

(4). That after the division aforesaid, the Capital of the Company be increased from \$1,000,000 \$2,560,000 divided into 250,000 shares of \$10 each by the creation of 150,000 new shares of \$10 each—such new shares (subject as hereinafter mentioned) to be issued at such time or times and Board of Directors may think fit.

(5). That it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$1,000,000 being part of the undivided profits o the Company standing to the credit of the General Reserve, and accordingly that for the purpose of effecting such capitalisation such sum of \$1,000,-600 be distributed as bonus emong the shareholders of the

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of FOUR A DOLLARS per share for the six months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY. July 26th, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

Company will be CLOSED TUESDAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the Godown). Apply to LEE HAY SAN & 26th July, (both days inclusive) during Co., 202, Queen's Road Central. which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. L. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, July 12, 1921.

THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE, LIMITED.

DOLLARS per share for the six apply Box 1288, c'o "CHINA MAIL." months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY. July 26th, on which date Dividend Warrants may from the existing Memorandum be obtained on application at the Comthe pany's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPETITION IN CHINA TRADE. Company will be CLOSED from TUES DAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the 26th July, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

J. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary to The General Managers. Hongkong, July 12, 1921.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD.

AN' INTERIM DIVIDEND A TWELVE DOLLARS per share for the six months ending 30th June, 1921, will be payable on TUESDAY July 26th, on which data Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of Company will be CLOSED from TUES-DAY, the 19th to TUESDAY, the 26th full determination of regaining their July, (both days inclusive) during pre-war influence. which period no transfer of shares can By Order of the Board of Directors.

L. S. GREENHILL, Acting Secretary to The Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd. General Agents for The West Point Building Co., Ltd. Hongkong, July 12, 1921

NOTICE.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that A the HONGKONG DOLLAR DIRECTORY has been acquired. AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO from July 7th, 1921, by the undersign-GIVEN that a SECOND EXTRA- ed with all rights and titles, and will of the Company will be held at the claims against the Hongkong Dollar Pedder Directory incurred prior to this date lowering of the rates on cotton yarn will be admitted by the undersigned. THE NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE

> 5, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, July 7, 1921.

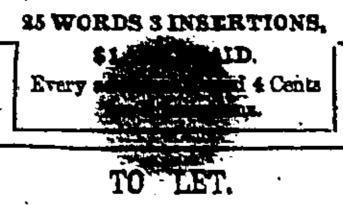
hereinafter referred to, and that a bonus be declared accordingly. And further that the Company's Board of Directors be and they are hereby authorised to satisfy such bonus as far as possible by the distribution in manner aforesaid of 100,000 shares of \$10 each credited as fully paid up among the persons who are registered as the holders of the shares constituting the Company's present Capital \$1,000,000 on such date as the Carried Forward....... Company's Board of Directors shall decide-such last mentioned shares to rank pari passu with the shares constituting the Company's present Capital \$1,000,000 in respect of all profits of the Company earned since the 31st December, 1920, and such distribution to be in satisfaction of the aforementioned bonus.

ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, Pedder Street, aforesaid on WEDNESDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF in every respect as the Company's purpose of receiving a report of the as those from Shanghai from June 28. of confirming, if thought fit such last mentioned Resolutions as Special Resolutions.

Dated this Fourteenth day of July.

By Order of the Board. J. H. TAGGART, Manager.

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SHIPPING.

Severe competition is now going on among Japanese and foreign ships on the South China line. The Nisshin Steamship Company has maintained a Shanghai-Hongkong-Canton line since last January with the "Rosan-maru," "Susan-maru," and "Haryo-maru," all of which were newly built at the Uraga Dock Company. Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Butterfield & Swire, and the China Merchants S.N. Company, have fifteen or sixteen ships on the same run. The freight rate was at one time about Y23, but the foreign competitors have decreased it to Y12.30, followed by an equivalent decrease by the Nisshin Company. A one voyage run, it is said, results in a loss of Y8,000 and the Nisshin can hardly maintain the line with

THE BOMBAY TRADE.

the small yearly subsidy of Y150,000.

The British companies are expected

to put more ships on the line with

There were expectations in Japan that with the coming of the monsoon the Bombay line would do little business and would pick up little cargo on the homeward voyage. But so far as present circumstances are concerned, the monsoon is unexpectedly calm, and purchases of raw cotton are being continually made by Japanese merchants owing to the quotation for cotton yarn being well maintained on the domestic market. Outward navigation is also

doing pretty well. A committee meeting of the Spinning Association was held on June 28. Rates were fixed for the transpostation of Indian raw cotton for the present term, the amount being estimated at 540,000 bales. For the and piecegoods, negotiations were made with the shipping companies concerned, but no compromise has been found yet. Negotiations will shortly be re-opened.

OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA.

The following are the accounts of Company in proportion to the the Osaka Shosen Kaisha presented shares in the Company's present at a meeting of the management on Capital of \$1,000,000 held by June 27, to be submitted to the them respectively on the date general meeting of shareholders:-Gross Receipts----- Y29,980,009 Gross Losses Net Profit..... 4,950.000 Reserve Balance Brought Forward 1.425,000 Transferred from Divi-2,000,000 dend Reserve 3,515,000 Total..... Dividend (10 per cent... per annum)..... EXPORT DEAD.

Despite the depression prevailing throughout the shipping world, the Indian and European lines have somewhat recovered from their decline and have been securing some shipments. With this, the headquarters of the European Homeward Conference in London have contemplated an increase in the rates from Shanghai to Europe and have now GIVEN that a THIRD EXTRA- per cent. from the 25th June Notification to the same effect has been dispatched to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha and other shipping companies participating in the Conference. They at once held a meeting in Yokohama and determined to increase the rates AUGUST, 1921, AT NOON, for the from Yokohama to the same extent proceedings at the above mentioned It is not expected, however, that this Meeting in so far as regards Re- will have much immediate effect, as solutions Nos. 3, 4 and 5 above and export could hardly be more completely dead than it is at present,

CHINA COASTING SERVICES.

The Yamashita Kisen Kaisha has en doing good business on the eclung-Amoy - Swatow - Hongkong-Hungchi line, which it opened some

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APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES.

July 12th, 1921.

Butcher Mest.

Seal Strioth, -Mel Long Pa ... lb.

.. Prime Cut

, Roast,-Shia , , ,, ,,

" Breast,-Ngau Nam

" Steak,-Ngan Yuk Pa

Sonp,-Tong Yuk ,.

" Steak Sirloin,-Ngan Lan ., 28

., Sansages, - Ngan Cheung ., 25

Bullock's Brains,-Ngan No per set 10

Tongue, fresh,-Ngan Li each 60

Tongue, corned, -Ham Ngan Li

Head,-Ngau Tau... each 80

Heart,-Ngau Sam., ib. 13

Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin ., 18

Feet,-Ngan Keuk ... each 10

Liver,-Ngau Kon... lb. 13

Tripe (undressed), Ngan To 1b. 6

Kidneys,-Ngan Yin ,

Calves' Head and Feet,-Ngan-izal-

Pig's Chitlings, -Chu Chong

Matton Chop,-Young Pal Kwat 1b. 33

.. Brains.—Ohn No per seb

.. Feet,-Chu Keuk ib. 15

. Fry,-Cha Chap, 16

.. Head,-Chu Tau , 15

. Heart,-Ohu Sam each 10

Kidneys,-Chu Yiu... ... each 10

Liver,—Chu Kon lb. 33

Fat or Lard, -Chu Yan ... , 23

Tan-Keuk set 70

Heart.-Young Sam ... each 10

Kidneys,-Yeung Yiu each 12

Liver,—Young Kon ... Ib. 32

Matton, -Shang Yenng Yan .. 32

Sausages,-Ngsu Tasi Cheung 20

Fish.

Bream,-Pin Yn... 94

No. 1 ... lb. 26

Sucking Pigs, to order,-Chu Tsal ., 24

Suet, Beef,-Shang Ngau Yau ... , 20

Veal, -- Ngau Tsal Yuk

Barbel, -Ka Ya... lb.

Carp,-Li Yu

Oatfish,-Ohik Yu ,,

Outtle Fish,-Muk Yu ... ,.. ,,

Dab,-Sha Mang Yu ,,

Sels, Conger,-Hoi Man

.. Fresh water, -Tam Shul Yu ,

, Isllow -- Wong Sin ,,

Garoupa.-Shek Pan... ,

Gudgeon .-- Pak Kap Yu

Herrings,-Tso Pak

Hallbut,-Ohenng Kwin Kap...

Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu

Losch,—Wa Yu

Lobsters,-Lung Ha ,,

Mackerel,-Chi Yu ,...

Monk Flah,-Mong Yu

Mullet,-Teal Yu...

Orsters,-Shang Ho ,,

Parrot Fish,-Kai Kung Yu

Perch,-Tau Lo

Pike,-Fa Pan Fong ,,

Plaice -Pan Yu.

Pomfret, Black,-Hak Chong ... ,,

Pomfrat, White, Chong

Prawna,—Ming E

Rock Fish.-Shek Kan Knng ... ,

Rosch.-Chun Yu

Salmon,-Ma Yau....

Shark,-Sha Yu

State.—Po Yu ,,

Support.—Lap Yu

Boles, - Tab Ehe Yu

Tench -- Wan Yu

Tarbot,—Tso Hau Yu

Turtles, small fresh water .-

Ray,—Pai Pa Sha

Daca,-Wong Mel Lap ... , 12

Dog Flah, - Tit To Sha , 10

Canton Fresh Water Fish .-

Oodfish.-Man Yu

Frogs,-Tin Kal...

Oraba,—Hal...

Pork Chop,-Chu Pal Kwat, 25

.. Leg. Cha Pel... ... ,..

.. Loin,-Ohu Hau Tun !... ,,

Sheep's Head and Feet,-Yeung

..-Ngan Mel

tan-keuk sat \$1.00

Leg. - Yenng Pel 33

Shoulder,-Yeung Shan .. 28

Saddle, -Yeung On Yok ,, 33

each 85 cents.

. Corned,-Ham Ngan Yuk. ,,

Poultry. Chicken,-Kai Tea 1b. Capone, Small, --Sin Kal Capone, Large, -Sin Kai ... Duck,-Ap 32 Dores -Pan Kan Eggs, Hen, -Kai Tan (cooking) per doz. \$3 Eggs, Hen, -Kal Tan (fresh) ... per dos. 26 Fowls, Canton,-Kal ib. 45 Fowls, Hainan,-Hot Nam Kal .. Se Geesa,-Ngo 25 Pigeona, Canton, -- Pak Kap. Leach 45 Holhow, -Hol Hau Pak Kap Turkeys, Cock,-Fo Kai Kung Ib. 80 Turkeys, Hen,-Fo Kai Na 60 Snipe,-Sha Tsui... ... each Pheasant, -Shan Kal... ... Quail,—On Chun ... Partridges,-Che Ku

Fruits. Almonds,-Hang Yan lb. 45 Apples, (California), -Kam Shan Ping Ko ,, 42 Bananas, (bride's), Macao, San Heong Chiu .. 5 Carambola, -Yeang To Coccanuta, -Ye Tse each 10 Lemons, China, "Ling Mung... Ib. 8 Lemons, (America), -Bam Shan Ling Mung ... each 6 Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Lai Chi Kon lb. 22 Oranges, (Canton), Sweet-Shan-sheng Tim Chang lb. Oranges. Tim Chang Pears, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Li , 8 Peanuts,-Fa Shang 13 Persimmons, Large,-Hung Tso ., Plantain,—Tai Chiu 3 Pamelo, Siam,-Tsim Lo Ysu ...esch 15 Wainuta,-Hop To lb. 14 Grapes,-Po Tai Taz

Vegetables, &c. Artichokes, -Ah Chi Chenk ...esct. Beans, Sprout,-Nga Tao... I. Ib " Long,-Tan Kok ... " Beet Root, - Hang Tsoi Tan ... , 2 each Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa 3 Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yon Kwa ,, 5 Red,-Hang Kee ... ,, Cabbage Chinese, (common), -Kai Taol .. 8 ,, (Shanghai)-Ye Tsol ... ,, 15

Cane Shoots, banch, -Kan Shun .. ! Cauliflower (Large), -Ye Tsol Fa each (Mediam), (Small),

Carrots,-Kam Shun Ib. 6 Celery Chinese, -Tong Kan Tsoi ., 12 Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Chiu ,, 22 ., Red,-Hong Fa Chin ... , 5 " Green,-Ching Lat Ohin ... 5 Curry Stoff, English,-Ka Li Chn Lin

Cucumbers, - Ching Kwa... ...each 2 Garlie,-Sun Tau Ginger young, -Son Tee Keung .. Ginger, old, -Lo Kenng Horseradish, Shanghai,-Lik Kan , 5 Indian Corn,-Shuk Maieach 6 Lettuce.-Young Shang Tsol ... ib. 10 Water Chestmats,-Ma Tal ... Ib. 8 Mandarin,-Kwal Lam Ma Tai ... , 16

Mushrooms, Fresh,-Shang Teo Ku ib. 45 Onions. Bombay, - Young Chung Tan lin. & Onlors, Green,-Shang Chung Ib. 5 Onlone, Shanghal, Sheung-hol Paraley,-Kun Tsol Potato, Sweet,-Fan Sha Japanesa .- Yat Fun Shu Trai Ih. ... American, -Fa Ki Shu Tani Ib. Pumpkin,-Tung Kwa Ib, Radish,—Hang Lo Pak Teal Rhuberb (Fresh),-Tal Wong Shallots, -Kong Chong Tan ... Spinach. - Yin Tsol Tomatoes,-Fan Ka ... Taros. -- Wu Tau ... Turnips, Panti, (Long), -Lo Pak ... Vegetable Marrow,-Int Kwa...

Water Oress, -Sal Young Tack...

Yams,-Ta Shu

Idly root,-- Idn Ngsu...

it has also opened a line to Saigon and Bangkok, from Osaka-Kobs as 3,125,000 starting point via Moji, Nagasaki, Amoy, Swatow, and either Hongkong or Canton, touching at Keelung on the homeward run. The "Fukuimaru III." and the "Anshin-maru will operate the new trade, the former having already started for its destination.

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PILFERAGE ON HOLT LINER.

HEAVY PINES ON SHIP'S CREW.

Disgraceful disclosures of pilferings AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO | decided to raise them from 20 to 30 | by a ship's crew were made at the East Ham Police Court, when fines. amounting to £161, were imposed on a special scheme of the company, the twelve members of the steamship 'Teenkai," of the Blue Funnel Line (Alfred Holt and Co.), that had just returned from a ten months' voyage fines, said that piltering had been

> All the accused pleaded not guilty. They were Boatswain T. M'Kinley. Quarter-masters L. Richardson. G. A. R. Powell, and L. Bates: Carpenter J. Killeen, and Lamptrimmer H. Cade, who were fined £15 and £6 costs each or sixty-one days. Able-seamen L. Todd, G. Hill, J. T. Bridson, P. Breen, and J. Westlake were fined £12 and £2 costs each or vixty-one days; and Ordinary-seaman R. H. M'Donald, who was bound over and had to pay £2 costs.

The prosecutions formed a sequel time ago with three vessels. Lately, to a conviction the previous day,

when Able-seaman J. W. Bellis was sent to prison for three months for stealing jewellery worth nearly £200 from an Arab pilgrim passenger.

A representative of Alfred Holt and Co. stated that following the complaint of this theft all the crew's luggage was searched, and ship's property was found among it. Altogether £900 worth of goods had been pilfered during the voyage, while the ship's strong room had been burst open and a valuable case of clocks taken.

As all the accused were earning good wages as well as bonuses under bench were asked to deal severely with them.

The Stipendiary, in imposing the going on to such an extent that in future men convicted would be shown the utmost rigour of the law. He thought it very disgraceful that a boatswain earning such good wages should stoop to piliering.

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HIMCHORG, WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1921.

OUR SCHOOLS.

teachers did the work of 50, we can was unnecessary and perhaps not understand why \$189,848 more should be paid, or "mainly" paid, an salaries. Apparently, on the figures given, it costs between \$15 and \$16 per annum to educate a Hongkong child, which may be considered cheap enough. One gets the impression from the report that the vernacular are misdir cted effort, if the Government good plain education, or facilities for it, to all. applicants, our money might be better spent than are these grants and subsidies. Probably there are smore people speaking Chinese to-day

Shan were ever taught to do so in

not suggested in this report. The report of the Director of Edu-training local material as teachers, estion for the year 1920, even if you and it is gratifying to read that we are not especially interested in educa- have turned out so many. If we get tion, has some interesting bits in it. 20 working teachers out of the 26 Mr. E. Irving, the Director, Las now students now training at the Uncompleted his twentieth year in this liversity we shall do well. We rather Department, and in his report for expect a little controversy to arise out Last year permits himself a brief of the Director's observations on the of Major Gore Anderson, H. M. Trade Thousand dollars greater than in teachers and pupils are so well re- years ago to Kennedy & Co., 1919. "mainly due," the Director cognized, especially by masters, to Penang, and afterwards joined the Bays, "to higher rates of salary." whom, it should not be overlooked, Anthonys, of Penang, the firm con-But those higher salaries were paid school athletics represent extra and sisting of Mr. J. M. Anthony, Mr. to only 58 per cent. of the British gratuitous work, that we would not Stephen Anthony and Mr. A. F. staff, as it was "five men and sixteen | be at all surprised to find our Director | Gore Anderson. Some time ago women short"-of the estimated accused of erecting a turnip boggle- Major Gore Anderson met with an fifty! Such statistics ought to be Unless there are signs of school work accident, causing injury to his leg, Alexanimous indeed, in a case where we suffering by reason of the attention which never got quite right, and he that our teachers were underpaid and sarily indicated by the phrase about failure. our schools understaffed. If 29 losing "prestige in comparison," it

KINEMA NOTES.

quite fair to moot the point.

HONGKONG THEATRE.

delightful comedy-drama will screened at the Hongkong Theatre, Alter Pive," an admirable picture founded on the play by Wm. and Cecil de Mille. Included in the programme will be the usual acrees

able comedy.

British schools. But that is an issue of high policy, which does not appear to have been raised, and is certainly regards education in English, the Director says that on the whole he is satisfied that there is not room for any startling change in method or curriculum. The Department is pursuing a most praiseworthy policy in

Special reductions in cotton voiles are announced in Messrs. Wm. P. Satow, Captain R. Burton, and Powell, Ltd.'s advertisement.

A quantity of household furniture steamer "Mentor." and sundries will be sold by Messrs. Hughes and Hough to-morrow.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Archbishop Mannix of Melbourne passed through the Colony on the N.Y.K. steamer "Nikko Maru," which left for Australia yesterday.

The Swastika is still selling. Brewer & Co., report that they sold out and had difficulty in getting new supplies. That difficulty has been met. A number went to Canton. and if unsold there will be available for local requirements. Meanwhile we have a few odd copies of " returns to fill immediate orders. It is not proposed to reprint.

Mr. William McLeish, of Harrington-gardens, South Kensington, left College in Tientsin, and after the General Officer Commanding. college was destroyed in the Boxer outbreak conducted the Peking and Tientsin Times.

A marriage has been arranged and will shortly take place, between On the motion of Mr Chow Shou-Mr. Victor H. Jones, 14th (King's) son the proposal was agreed to. Hussars, second son of Mr. H. D. C. Jones, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. London, and Mrs. Jones. of 7. Hanover Terrace, Regents, Park, N.W., and Emily C. (Milly), the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomson, of Heathside, Wimbledon Common, formerly of Java.

The Admiralty have ordered the title of the Naval Agent at Shanghai to be altered to that of "Resident Naval Officer, Shanghai." The post is held by an officer of the accountant branch, at present Paymaster-Commander H. A. D. J. Gyles, R. N., who was appointed on September 1, 1919. The change is in accordance with the custom at other ports, such as Singa- market. pore, where Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander A. F. B. Livesay is the Resident Naval Officer.

Quite near to the Marble Arch is the House of the Rising Sun, presided over by Koto Yana, who grees to those who want new effects violinist may be heard at Kowloon in entertaining. From the House little later on. of the Rising Sun you can have anything from Japanese dwarf trees to and decorations, with geisha girls to dance and play.

The design of the coal and oil supply ship of 20,000 tons, for fueling | xious to take the lead. the various units of the Japanese Navy, was worked out by the New accordance with the requirements laid down by the Imperial Japanese Naval Commission. The waterline length will be 496 ft., with a beam of 67 ft. The vessel will be electrically driven, and will have twin screws with a total of 7,500-h.p., which will give the ship loaded a speed of 15 knots. She will be constructed with both oil and coal bunkers, and a special feature will be the installation of an anti-torpedo-boat battery.

Straits papers record the death

September 30. It is pointed out that drastic economy and retrenchment will be essential and that the majority of public works must stop. The estimates of revenues for the next financial year have not been framed, but it is roughly estimated From to-morrow until Friday a that the revenue will amount to Rs. be 65.000,000. The estimates of expenditure for the year 1921-22 have not yet been settled, but it is almost certain that a sum considerably in lit is sufficient, se every family knows excess of the estimated revenue will its value. It has been used for furty. magazine and an extremely laugh- be required for the ordinary services For sale by all Chemists and Store- tack comes on For sale by all Chemists of the Colony.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lieut. Commander and Mrs. C. Lieut. J. N. Bond, R.N., were passengers who sailed by the Blue Funnel

A Jumble Sale will be held at the City Hall on Friday, July 22, at 3 p.m. The Benevolent Society will be glad to receive contributions for the sale at Helena May Institute.

A combined meeting of members of the Marine Engineers' Guild of From January to June this year China and the China Coast Officers' 112,552 Chinese immigrants arrived Guild is advertised for 5.45 pm. on in the Straits Settlements and 46,583 Friday, July 22 in the Guilds' Offices.

> A new crew will shortly be despatched to the light cruiser "Cairo, China Station, where that cruiser is long overdue for recommissioning. her two years having expired three months ago.

No soldier can be placed under £5.754. He was at one time a well- stoppage of pay for a private debt, known Rugby football player and a and therefore persons who suffer Master at Dulwich College. In 1886 soldiers to contract debts do so at he became an instructor of nautical their own risk, states an advertiseastronomy at the Imperial Naval ment inserted in this issue by the

> Amongst other matters considered at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Sanitary Board Committee was a suggested re-arrangement of the sections in Mount Caroline cemetery.

have hit on a novel method of dealing ed. Prices have however been with the vagrants who are fast be- steadier and owing, it would seem, to night on July 18 a he saw a European motor lorry is sent round and these the United States, quotations have his house. Questioned, the able bodied to gaol.

Those silk firms in Fatshan which have large stocks of silk left over from last year- are making enormous profits as a result of the present high prices paid for silk goods, and it is reported that many of the small silk firms in Fatshan have already made more than \$20, 000 since the opening of the silk

We are asked to say that, in the absence of any telegraphic information as -- to Mr. Mischa Elman's movements, the management of the Kowloon Theatre have reluctantly been compelled to cancel the arrangements for the concert to supplies Orientalism in varying de- day. It is hoped that the great

decorate your table to a full-blown mand for a uniform 40 per cent. material reduction can be made ten-course dinner or supper of Japan- increase of wages having been re- from the present basis. In the first ese food cooked and served in the ceived from the contractors, the local place the prices of most lots recently Japanese way, with proper china painters have decided to appeal to placed have actually been calculated the Secretary for Chinese Affairs. on lower wages in the weaving section Most of the contractors have replied at least, and secondly the actual savindividually that they are prepared to | ing in working costs can only be comfollow if other contractors concede paratively slight. It would also seem the demands but none appears and that a settlement of this question will

York Shipbuilding Corporation in pany which operates between that opinion has been steadily moving Shaukiwan Mr. Dennys appeared at the Police! Court this morning before Magistrate Lindsell to prosecute two Chinese prices have stood practically unwho were charged with demanding money with threats from a ticket collector. The case was remanded. the accused, who were represented who have obtained their share of by Mr Watson, being released on sureties of \$500 each.

Nearly 200 naval ratings from Shanghai, Hongkong, and Singapore arrived at Plymouth on May 25 by the "Khyber." They were landed by Government launches and included many invalids from the China Station. comparison of general development apparently excessive attention paid Commissioner for Malays, which took The voyage home in the "Khyber" was in that period. Most of the text is to the "realm of sport," he fearing place at the General Hospital, Singa- of the most pleasant description, the reproduced, so that we need only call that "ordinary school work may lose pore, shortly after one o'clock on the weather being remarkably fine. A attention to one or two points. The prestige in comparison." The benefits afternoon of July 8. Major Gore series of concerts was given by the expenditure was nearly two hundred of extra-mural association between Anderson came out about twenty blue ackets, who, with characteristic cordiality, invited the other passengers to share in their entertainments.

Captain Pouler, the famous French aviator, who is staying at the Europe Hotel, Singapore, had 4,000 guilders, 800 francs and £35 stolen from him on July 5. The money was given to be changed at the money changing stall in the hotel, and Cap-That our teachers were undertaid and and analysis and that is not necession of his boys in charge of the stall, to return refused it and took him off to the of esteem on the occasion of his "Magnelia," China Squadron, will for it. When he called to collect the Police station. On the way the de- leaving the Colony to return to his shortly change hands, as Commander money, he found that the Tamil boys The state of Ceylon's finances had disappeared. The money changer, shew that deficit of over 19 million however refunded the money. The rupees is expected for the year ended police were informed of the matter, and one of the boys, who had made arrangements to leave for India by the as. "Tara" was arrested. The other boy is still at large.

> BLAZON TYPE NOT NECESSARY. MEAMBERLAIN'S Colic and Diarrhtes Remoty needs no glaring headline to attract the public eye simple statement that all chemists self Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhora

THE KWANGS WAR.

LIMCHOW CAPTURED.

"HEMMED IN ON ALL SIDES,"

According to a report made by the military headquarters yesterday, Limchow in the southern part of Kwangtung, which was taken by the Kwangsi invaders during the first stages of the war, has now been recaptured, and the enemy troops have been driven back across the border. reports the Canton Times. "Since their military base in Teng Yuen behind the lines was captured by the troops of Gen. Ngai Bong-ping last week, they are now being hemmed in on all sides. It is only a question of time when all these defeated Kwangsi troops will be totally wiped

a telegram to Canton the Kwangsi general stationed at Liu-The Hongkong Automobile Asso- chow declares that city independent ciation advertises that the Committee of Warlord Lu Yung-ting. However have arranged for a club room for little faith in placed in this declarathe use of members in the Hongkong tion, and as soon as the Cantonese Club Annex Buildings on the ground | troops arrive within firing distance floor next to the Jockey Club offices. of Liu-chow the Kwangsi troops will have either to surrender the city or suicide. fight the Cantonese troops.

HOME TRADE.

MANCHESTER MARKET.

LATEST WEEKLY REPORT.

Messrs. James F. Hutton & Co., and 351 in money was notified by

The cotton markets remain very consumption for May to have been untrue. 422,000 Bales against 409,000 last month and 541,000 for May last year. Crop News as usual is very variable but in addition to the comparatively poor start which has been made fears are widely entertained of boll weevil damage which is stated to be fairly widespread. A rather more cheerful view is taken here of the labour outlook. Concessions the coal and cotton stoppages hinges from his ricksha. have now narrowed down the points at issue very considerably and it is confidently hoped that work in both these important industries will be recommenced at a very early date. Trading in yarn and cloth is restricted however, although a very fair enquiry is still met with from many markets. For the time being buyers

appear to be divided as to the No satisfactory reply to their de- but it is difficult to see how any speedily lead to the re-establishment of confidence in present values, for it On behalf of the Ferrry Com. has already become very apparent Hunghom in that direction owing to the continued firmness we have now had for almost three months. During that time changed with an upward tendency and it frequently happens that buyers. find rates advanced by producers and the Near East have also bought

HAWKER'S HUSH MONEY.

70 CENT BID FOR FREEDOM.

A Chinese hawker was called upon at the Police Court before Magistrate Lindsell this morning to explain why he had neglected to provide himself. with a licence and further why he who arrested him for his neglect. It was related to the Bench that the man offered the lukong 70 cents fendant continually pressed e astable to accept the money and eventually the constable, because of take charge of the money.

A previous offence had been recorded against the defendant and he was ordered to pay fines totalling \$21 or else spend 24 days in jail.

CRAMP COLIC,

the stomach or intestinal pains. to no time to send for it after the atand Storekeypers.

TO-DAYS LITTLE TRAGEDIES,

ACCIDENTAL AND OTHERWISE

REPORTED TO THE POLICE.

After attempting to cut her throat with a razor the wife of a Chinese constable was removed to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment vesterday. The woman had been in a state of despondency ever since the death of her daughter a short

A small Chinese girl employed as a servant in Pokfulam Road fell distance of 30 feet into the backward of the house yesterday alternoon. sustaining injuries to her face and probably other internal injuries as Another young Chinese woman

residing in Wuhu Street jumped from a first floor window on to the concrete lane at the back of her house. She fell a distance of 25 feet and injured herself severely internally. Wong Lin, an unemployed coolie

of Shiu Hing, was arrested at Yaumat on a charge of aftempting to commi A " male child, 13 years, unemployed, no fixed abode " accidentally fell

yesterday from a truck lying near the wall of the Woping Theatre and fractured his left arm. Fifteen Chinese male deportees left the Colony yesterday for Canton by the s.s. "Roi Sang" and 4 were

a one-language country in official and sent to Kong Mun. Three deportees were sent to Hoihow and one to Pakhoi. The theft of \$170 worth of jewellery

Ltd., Manchester, reported on June Lau Kwai Chu, a compradore residing in Stanton Street. Ho Kwong, residing in Macdonnel The Kuala Lumpur police quiet, with spot sales still very limit- Road reported that just before mid-

coming a pest in the streets. A the decline in sterling exchange on standing in the shrubbery outside vagrants collected, the sick or stary- continued to advance in Liverpool. explained that he was there under ing being sent to hospital and the The National Ginners' Association instructions of a police sub-inspector estimate the United States Mills' but later inquiries showed this to be Carpenters tools valued at about

\$20 were stolen yesterday by some persons who entered the R.E. workshop at Whitfield Barracks. It is thought that a duplicate key was

According to a report furnished by Mr. D. Kotewell of Ice House Street somebody removed a pair of brass

CIGARETTE SMUGGLERS

BATCH OF OFFENDERS

EXCUSES OLD AND NEW. cost of the finished article, Lindsell in the Police Court this are people asking for tips. Dear morning to answer charges of having had in their possession cigarettes, and, in one instance, bottles of brandy.

> upon which duty had not been paid. One man who had been caught with 3,000 cigarettes in his possession offered the time-honoured excuse that who apparently concealed her own another man who owned the cigarettes had engaged him to carry them ashore from a boat. The owner he explained. was walking immediately in front of him and ran away when the police

appeared. A fine of \$90 was imposed. ed with smuggling 10,000 cigarettes had a similar explanation to offer when the arm of the law descended but the Magistrate proved equally incredulous and imposed a fine of that the owner of the voice was the \$170. The Revenue Officer who widow's own nephew, and he appeareffected the arrest of both men said ed subsequently before the local the business that has been passing. that they were coal voolies and be-Reports from China continue to im- longed to a party of about 300 who prove and business has been done were taken to Canton by the "Taito both for that and the India markets | Maru" to unload a cargo of coal. of a limited nature. Singapore, Java. The vessel returned to Hongkong yesterday morning and the men were caught carrying the tobacco ashore.

> smuggled cigarettes in his possession was given the alternative of paying \$12 or going to jail for ten days and a traveller from Kong Moon by the 8-9. "Tai Lee:" who had 1040 cigarettes hidden in the false bottom of an imitation leather trunk was fined \$45 or three weeks' imprisonment.

There was a smack of origi ality about the excuse offered by a fifth defendant charged in respect of had attempted to bribe the lukong the possession of 1100 cigarettes but it failed to impress the Court. He explained that they had been present-

as being envious of the man's good months. the man's impertunings, decided to fortune and asked where those generous friends of his were. The defendant answered that they were in the tobacco business at the Central Market. The cigarettes were apparently of no use to them he said, and so they had made him a present of them to amoke. The Magistrate fined him | whether his steamer could arrive here

Two Chinese who were arrested 10 seed of suffering from cramps in on the Yaumati ferry-wharf with seven bottles of "Star" brandy Remedy never fails to relieve the most each in their possession were both severe cases. Get it to-day, there will fined \$120 with aix weeks jail in Chamberlain's Tablets. Isy it the next default. Both explained that they time you eat more than you shall For had been hired to carry the liquor.

WORLD LANGUAGE.

ENGLISH PROPOSED.

BELGIAN SOCIETY'S AIM.

A society had been formed in Belgium, savs the Brussels correspondent of the Central News, to secure the adoption of English as the mode of expression in Belgium.

Three languages are spoken in Belgium, namely, French, Flemish, and German. They are, say the promoters of this movement, all imported tongues: there is no such thing as & Belgian language. Likewise, the actual spoken language in the threeabove-named main divisions resolves itself, so far as Belgium is concerned; into dozens and scores of different dialects that differ as widely from English as, say Piedmontese differs

French from Gascony French. A ONE-LANGUAGE COUNTRY. National unity, say the officials at the Society of "English-speaking Belgium," demands a national unit of expression. There is a goodly mixture of both Germanic and Latin in the English tongue, they point out, and the Belgians have a bit of both in their racial blood, so that they should take kindly to the acquisition of the English language. While these reformers would not destroy any of the existing idions, they would aim at having Belgium, broadly-speaking.

from Calabrian Italian, or Jersey

commercial senses. They point to the facts that English is going to be the world language; that it is spoken by two hundred milions already, and is the administrative language of three hundred and fifteen millions more. The claim is also put forward that the study of English is a comparatively small matter for Belgians, whose adopted languages of to-day. French and .Flemish, are based on the same Latin and Tentonic foundations as the Saxon and Norman branches of the

English tongue. This English language propaganda movement of Belgium is backed by a number of State Ministers and other influential men.

TIPS IN HEAVEN!

A VOICE FROM THE TOMB

RUSE AND COUNTER RUSE.

The voice of an importunate from beyond the tomb has been silenced by the generosity of a Paris widow. Since the death of her husband, saysa Press correspondent, she had daily gone to visit his grave in Pere Lachaise Cemetery. One day she was terrified to hear his voice calling to her. "Up here," said the voice, "it A batch of Chinese smugglers made is the same as upon the earth, everyeffect of the fall in wages on the their appearance before Magistrate body wants money. On every hand riend, can you let me have £10?"

The woman had no money with her, but overcame her fear and promised to bring some, and the voice replied, "Thank you." She returned home and repeated the amazing conversation to a neighbour suspicions and advised her-to take the required sum to the cemetery-Two days afterwards the widow piously laid a purse containing five 100f, notes upon the husband's grave and retired. A little while later a young man rose from behind The next defendant who was charg- the next tombstone, emptied the purse, and was about to steal away upon him. It was then discovered magistrate. While the case against him was proceeding, his young wife appeared with a baby in her arms, and threw herself at the widow's feet. His would-be victim forgave him and withdrew her complaint, and the owner of the voice from beyond the tomb went home duly promising Another Chinese caught with 360 that it would never be heard again

GOLF.

BOGEY POOL COMPETITION.

Bogey Pool Competition played over the Relief Course at Fanling during last week-end was wen by Mr. E. J. R. Mitchell (4) who returned:a card of 4 up.

· A clean bill of health wasreturned for the Colony yesterday.

The command of the sloop Basil R. Brooke, D.S.O. will complete The Magistrate confessed himself two years in the course of a few

> Mr. Mischa Elman, the famous violinist arrived here this morning from Singapore by the KP.M. s.s. "van Cloon." Mr Elman had intended giving a concert in the Kowloon Theatre to night but had unavoidably to cancel it as it was at first doubtful

WHEN YOU EAT TOO MUCH. ISTRESS in the stomach after est-

ing is relieved by taking one of sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

LONDON, July 19.

TELEPHOYEL CABLE ADDRESS. MERCURY MOTOR CAR GENERAL OFFICE 134 MERCURY" Hondrone MAIN BRANCE & | BIT CODER CARD A.R.C. STE EDITION ROBINSON ROLD, 2001 RESTREET UNION WRET POINT BRANCH 1445 BENTLET'S 59-61 Des Voeux Road Central, P. E. Yound HONGKONG. . حرمون MANAGER

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

DAVIS CUP.

INDIA WINS RUBBER AGAINST FRANCE.

PARIS, July 19.

India has won the rubber in the Davis Cup eliminating matches against ; France, Sleem defeating 5amazeuilh 6-1, 6-3, 6-3. JAPAN'S CHANCES.

LATER. The Deane and Brugnon match in Paris was an exhibition of singles as India has pready won the tie. The fifth match should have been Jacob versus Laurentz. Experts praise the genius of Jacobs in the captaincy. He is entitled to as much credit as anyone for India's no anticipated victory, which has placed in the semi-final pund. The team have now to go to America to meet the winners of Japan and Belgium tie which it is confidently expected will be Japan who is replying upon Kumagæ and Shimidzu both for singles and doubles. Shimidzu's recent play in England demonstrated that he has advanced his form since Wimbledon in 1920. His serice has not altered but few players can score off He is hitting larder off the ground and frequently makes brilliant winners forchad and backhand while his volleying has become first rate, especially overead where he kills tosses with a deadly precision. Japan should reath to final and to-day she is favoured as challenger.

POLISH INSURGENT LEADER IN PARIS.

PARIS, July 19. Korfant leader of the Polish insurgents in Upper Silesia, has arrived here. Interswed, he declared that the Germans would submit unresistingly if the Allies'-mly enforced their decisions. Date of the meeting of the Supreme Coull to settle the question of Upper Silesia is still unfixed. BERLIN, July 19.

The Italian mbassador has called the attention of the German Government to the coentration of troops on the frontier of Upper Silesia and requested it to ohibit German forces from going into Silesia.

CARPENTIER'S NIXT FIGHT.

NEW YORK, July 19. The GibbcCarpentier bout will be in the arena at Jersey City or capture of the main Turkish railway lines. Maddison SquaGardens. The weights maximum is twelve stone seven.

HOME CRICKET.

LONDON, July 19.

FOUND WITH FIREARMS.

CHINESE TRAVELLER FINED.

with a brand new revolver and 150

rounds of ammunition in his posses-

sion a Chinese was brought before

Magistrate Lindsell at the Police

Court this morning and invited to

He said that he had been away

should be confiscated pending produc-

tion by the defendant of a permit

from the Canton Government for

STOWAWAYS FROM

SINGAPORE.

CHINESE TRIO SENTENCED.

Three weeks' jail was the sentence

Notts won light wickets, Yorkshire by nine wickets, E sex by 128 runs. Surrey by runs, Hants in the first innings, and Lancashire in the first innings.

THEATIROYAL

BANDMANERA CO.

"AFGAR" NIGHT.

Last night's Pration by the Bandman Opera Cony of "Afgar," that immensely lar London. success, was rema, in several respects. In the first the Theatre give an explanation. Royal was crowdede last seat was occupied, a thit seen here from the Colony for some time and since Mischa Elmaisit. Then was now passing through to Canton created by the sparlnusic, the the charge against the defendant, clever plot, and they lines. expressed the opinion that the man And the applause thusiasm was actually a bona fide traveller. of the audience, lat mingled The Magistrate imposed a fine of with clapping, was shous and \$50 and directed that the revolver prolonged, a generouste to a fine performance. Nohy also were the striking costule effect've settings, and reellent orchestral work, all of whanced the pleasure afforded I many grateful dances, the a contretemps, and the admitting.

Miss Madeline Rossilying

Alice Delysia's famous Price, the leader of the rebellrem, acted, sang, and danced 'racteristic ability, giving stful imposed upon three Chinese who rendition of Alice Delysia ing were proved before Magistrate Orme little song "You'd be q" at the Police Court to-day to have This item in particular she ed stowed away on board the as. Van so well that none nt Cloon" at Singapore. was surprised when inst. Evidence tendered by the second mands for an encore were of the vessel disclosed that all the delighted audience. passengers were searched before the

Masters was excellent as D ship left Singapore and their tickets junior, his singing of the prisoner's song "Give the land anidential discovered until after the search and had anidential to the search and land anidential to the search and their tickets Prisoner's song "Give the i had evidently been hiding away in Due," being but one of m the life boats. mirable contributions. funny as Afgar, the potentate

of the harem, Mr. Jack Crichtquire to Don Juan, junior, and was a part worthy of his original pundly applauded. A special tria part worthy of his original many application. A special tri-wit. His quaint antics and after should be paid to the other local gags were responsible for embers of the company, all of laughter. Miss Dora Dolaro mon worked hard to effect the com-

haughter. Miss Dora Dolaro in worked name to effect the comcharming Isilda, while Miss te success achieved.

Charming Isilda, while Miss to encert the Company will play
Barry and Miss Dolly Prince to night the Company will play
excellent as rebellious wives. ene."

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of the part of Concourli, the kniety night of the Mountains."

CABLES. TO-DAY'S

(Reuter's Service to the China Meil.)

IRISH PEACE PROSPECTS.

NEWSPAPERS GLOOMY WITHOUT REASON.

"SITUATION QUITE UNCHANGED."

In contrast with the early optimism, the papers to-day are somewhat gloomy regarding the prospects of Irish settlement, but the fact is that the situation is quite unchanged. A very remarkable feature is the extra ordinary reserve maintained both by the Sinn Felners and the Government in disclosing nothing regarding the course of negotiations. The reason why conversations between Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. De Valera have been adjourned until July 21 is simply due to the fact that the Premier is fully

engaged to-day and to-morrow with the Dominions premiers. Mr. Meighen departs for Canada on July 21 and it is imperative that certain matters in connection with the conference be finally settled before then. SEEKING BASIS FOR A CONFERENCE.

LONDON, July 19. Sir James Craig and his Ulster colleagues have returned to Belfast eczema, eruptions, etc. in four weeks. where it is not expected that he will return to London till the preliminaries have been settled and a scheme for a conference formulated. This regarded as indicating that there will be no further indirect negotiations between Mr. De Valera and Sir James Craig.

Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald, chief of Sinn Fein propaganda who was recently released from internment, interviewed in London said that there had been no conference yet. The conversations at Downing Street had been directed to discovering the basis of a conference which in the Sinn Feln view must be that Ireland as an independent nation must have an agreement with the British Government. The only comment he had to make on Sir James Craig's statement was that Sir James Craig was in the same position as the Southern Americans in 1861.

DEMAND FOR INDEPENDENCE.

LONDON, July 20. Mr. De Valera in a statement declares that Ireland demands the right to choose freely how she shall be governed, namely independence. only requests freedom from British agression and interference. Desmond Fitzgerald's official statement amplifies this as meaning to claim that the Irish nation is for President Wilson's Fourteen Points with the right of small nations to self-determination. He says: "The Ulster Cabinet represents a very small minority of the Irish people who we claim have been systematically, wilfully and fundamentally misled by the foreign power England." Consequently, the Morning Post points out that the Southerners are refusing the Northerners the right the former are claiming from England, namely self-determination.

GREEKS CAPTURE TOWN.

SCENES OF FRANTIC ENTHUSIASM IN ATHENS.

TURKISH RAILWAY LINES ENDANGERED.

ATHENS, July 19. The official announcement that the Greeks have captured Kutahia has caused scenes of frantic enthusiasm. The streets are beflagged and are paraded by crowds acclaiming the King and the Army. The Te Deum was celebrated at the Cathedral. The newspapers declare that several thousand prisoners and immense booty were captured. They emphasise the political and strategical importance of Kutahia whose fall is likely to lead to speedy

COMMITTEE TO REPORT TO IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

LONDON, July 19.

The Air Ministry announces that the committee on imperial air communications will consist of Lord Gorell, the new Under-Secretary of the Air Ministry, Air Marshal Trenchard, Major-General Sir F. H. Sykes, Controller General of Civil Aviation, representatives of the Treasury and the Colonial Office, Sir Ross Smith, Colonel Mentz, and representatives of Canada and India. The committee will report to the Imperial Conference before it ends. It is in intended then to invite the Dominions to state the conditions on which they will make contribution and the amount probable. The British Arrested on one of the river boat Government after that will decide whether or not to ask Parliament to wharves along the Praya yesterday grant a subscription.

COTTON SPINNING MILLS.

INCREASED WORKING HOURS IN EGYPTIAN SECTION.

LONDON, July 19.

The Egyptian section of the Lancashire cotton spinning mills has in there was the deligimpression and Inspector Fallon, who brought creased the hours from 35 to 48 weekly.

ADVERTISEMENT. TO-DAY'S NEW

TO-DAY'S REC'PE

BATATIA ICE CREAM.

Method .- Dissolve 2 oz. of gelatine in contents of 111 oz. tin of NESTLE'S Pure Rich Cream. Then boil 11 pints milk, and while boiling stir it into the gelatine, and work in 4 oz. of castor sugar and essence of ratafia to taste. Mix all well together, turn it into a mould, and freeze as usual. Turn out and some with retaffer.

Obtainable at Lane, Crawford & Co., and other Stores.

TWO SIZES:

50 cts. per tin.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARINE ENGINEERS GUILD OF CHINA.

CHINA COAST OFFICERS GUILD

COMBINED MEETING of Members of both Guilds will be held at the Guilda' Offices, on FRIDAY, July 22, 1921, at 5.45 p.x. All Members in Port should make a point of being present.

W. J. STOKES and W. E. KIRBY Branch Secretaries. Hangkong, July 20, 1921.

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PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

THURSDAY, July 28, 1921, commencing at 2.45 p.m. at No. 1, Macdonald Road,

A Quantity of Valuable Household Farniture, Comprising:

Teak hatstand, Tapestry covered drawing room suite, Canton blackwood curios cabinet, joss table, marble top table, armchair, teapoys, marble top jardinieres and stools, Teak music stand, Carpets, Brass vases, Lace urtains, etc., etc. Teak extension dining table, dining

chairs, sideboard with bevelled mirror, dinner waggon, glass cabinet, Brass mounted fender and fire brasses. Teak wardrobes with bevelled glass doors, dressing tables with bevelled mirrors, marble top washstands,

Leather covered armchairs, etc. One Cottage piano by "Collard and Collard"

A quantity of Plants in pots. On view from Wednesday, the 27th

Catalogues will be issued. TERM:-Cash on delivery. LAMMERT -BROS., Auctioneers.

SATURDAY, July 23, 1921. commencing at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, 2 cases Fabrikoid, Terms :- Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS, Auctioneers. Hongkong, July 20, 1921.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

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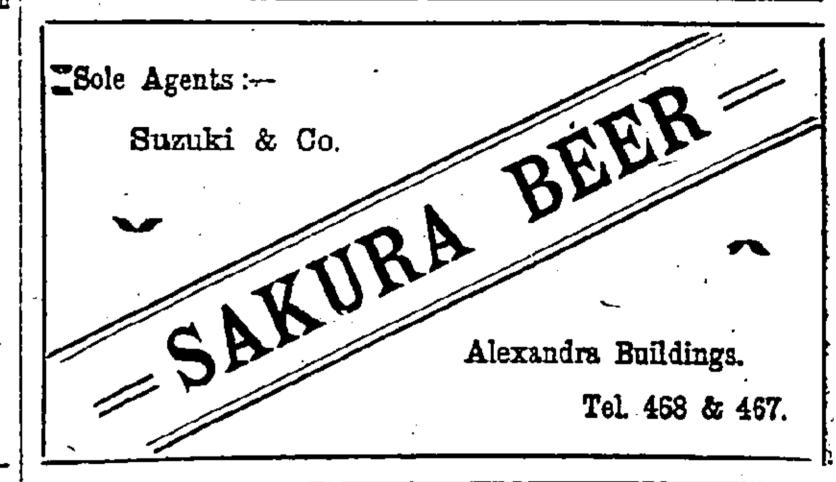
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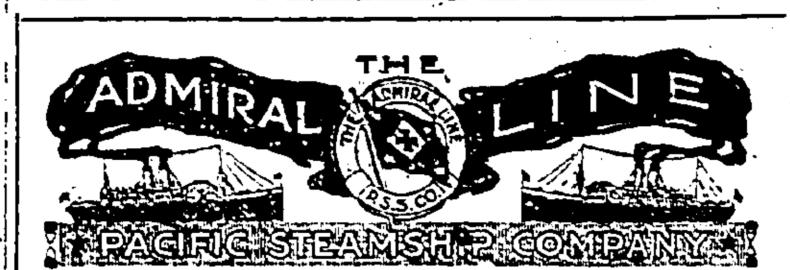
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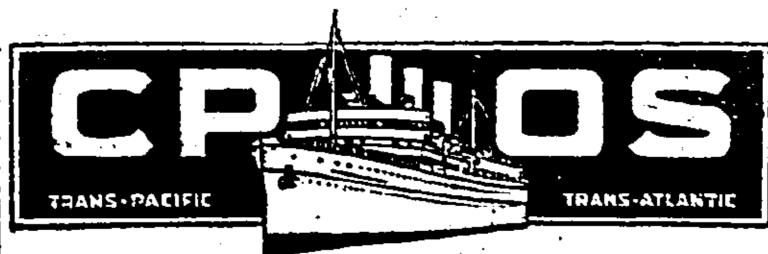
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THE TEING-IN-ITSBLF.

"And I said, 'Consider the Ding in Sich, the Elephant. He is the Thesis. He is tangible, ponderable, undeniable Reality. He answereth to all the Categories of Kant. But behold how he resolveth himself nto an Antithesis, even as Hegel

He is not Statick. He walketh uround. That should prepare us for in Hegelian Synthesis. And he is not unrelated. He is preceded by the Band, and followed by Monkeys in their Cage. That suggesteth Einstein's

Relativity. "But consider also the boys. Wherefore should they keep away from the Cage of Monkeys? Is that, theorem referable to Ethicks or to Casuistry or to Politickal Economy? it were not for the boys with their Peanuts and their Quarters, the Elephant were not here, but in Ethiopia. And in that event, would he be the same Elephant? Is a Wild Elephant in Ethiopia the same Elephant as a Tame Elephant at the same time in Jersey City or in Kalamazoo: Can we answer save as we go back to Plato, and discover the Ideal Elephant who is before and necessary to the interpretation of all Particular

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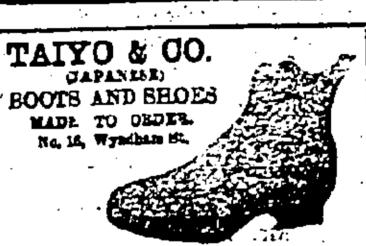
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PROPOSALS FOR INCREASING ITS EFFICIENCY.

The following report compiled by Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Captain Superintendent of Police and Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, was laid on the table of the Legislative Council, on Monday, on the subject of the Hongkong Fire Brigade:

and the question must now be con- sent constituted. sidered whether it should not e By having all the members of the several occasions recently.

of firemen. sent system are mainly that the than that attained at highly trained have more initiative. The matter of equipment will, as running out and coupling up hose quence. and generally assisting the European Firemen, who hold all positions of and by reason of the experience Market.

gained in working together at first. they should in time become quite ber when additional fire fighting capable of dealing successfully with apparatus is acquired. Minor changes outbreaks of fire.

One obvious drawback of the present system is the division of the lances which are on order and which Brigade into European and Chinese are now included in the Fire-Firemen do not speak Chinese Motor Ambulance service can most. and confusion is apt to arise profitably be attached to the Fire from the failure of the one to Brigade as it is in London. A Motor understand the other. In this Mechanic is also added and allowconnection it will be essential in any lance is made for an Engineer with reorganization of the Brigade that the requisite technical knowledge the Europeans in Charge should be who will be attached to the Brigade. Criticism of the personnel has been sufficiently acquainted with Chinese Further it is essential that a proper mainly directed against the perform- to make themselves understood staff of Interpreters and Telephone ance of Fire Brigade duties by Police Again the control exercised over the Officers who in the ordinary course European Firemen (who are first European officer is therefore provided of their duties have plenty to do, and and foremost policemen) by the it is argued that they cannot efficient. professional European Staff is not ly perform the two functions of as satisfactory as it would be were Police and Firemen. This is all the men under their entire Brigade. The Telephone Clerks will particularly so when control. The arrangements necesthere is a large crop of fires, as sary under present conditions, which has occurred during the past 6 at times place a Senior Police Officer months. It may also be said with under the orders of a junior profes equal truth that with the develop- sional fireman or even a junior Police ment of the Colony, particularly the Officer, who has become a foreman on the inadequate equipment of the City of Victoria and the Kowloon in the Brigade by reason of his out- Fire Brigade, particularly affoat, Peninsula, the present arrangements standing merit, obviously lead to are likely to lead to more marked friction at times. Needless to say, existing equipment on land Mr. Wolfe inefficiency in the Brigade in the such an arrangement is avoided as states what plant is required to deal future. The work of the far as possible but cannot be entirely successfully with large outbreaks of Brigade is increasing year by year eliminated in the Brigade as at pre- fire or with two or more simultaneous

reconstituted by eliminating the Brigade entirely under his control, Police Volunteers and substituting by giving all the members an equal therefor a purely professional Fire share in all the work of the Brigade Brigade consisting of a small number and by having the same men always of professional European firemen working together at first, the Officer affoat by any futher motor or steam with a locally trained Chinese Staff in charge should be able in time to fire floats at present. Fires on ships The arguments in favour of the pre- level of efficiency even greater European Police Firemen though not under the mixed Brigade system. are more daring and work harder and course, also enter very largely into required. The two Fire Floats are more efficiently than the average the question of the efficiency of the Chinese Fireman, particularly at the Brigade, but first and foremost commencement of operations when the personnel must be thoroughly steadiness and initiative may mean trained in the performance of its be supplemented by the large tugs the saving of lives and much valu- duties so that each man knows the able property. From my own per- precise nature of his particular work Dock Co., and Taikoo Dock Co. both sonal experience at fires, I must on each occasion, and all mixing up admit that the Chinese Firemen as a of sections and duties which is unwhole do not at present show either avoidable where the same men are any great initiative or any over great not always available may be entirely I recommend that an agreement be zeal in the performance of their eliminated. With firemen drawn duties. I cannot help thinking, how- from the Police, only those available, concerned to place their tugs fitted ever, that this is mainly due to i.e., off Police duty at the time of the the fact that they lack the neces- outbreak can be made use of, and sary opportunity to display the quali- they necessarily differ from day to ties required of a good fireman. At day. It is thus but rarely possible to at the time. With this addition present they do what I may call the get the same men working together coolie work of the Brigade only, such and efficiency must suffer in conse-

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Wolfe Writes :-changes proposed consist including the Assistant Superinten- fires in future and providing ese Firemen, with three professional considered, and full European Firemen in charge instead members of the Police Force quarters. It is proposed to offer this officer a salary of £600-£900 by £25 annually so as to get a really efficient will be increased by 2 only but it

Remarking the personnel of the

Officer of the Brigade, it is proposed, shall be an officer of the rank and are undoubtedly desirable. The re-London Fire Brigade. In the London receiving attention now, and will be Fire Brigade such an officer now taken in hand as soon as a satisfacdraws a salary of £475-£575 with tory arrangement has been devised. ship fires. man. The Captain Superintendent of Police will remain in administrative charge of the Fire Brigade as Chief Officer. The number of firemen must be remembered that instead of having 78 firemen many of whom are not always available, there will now be 80 men whose entire services are at the disposal of the Superintendent. This number is exclusive of all special services, such as Motor Drivers, mechanics, fitters, carpenters, etc., and the staff required to run the two Fire Floats. It must also be borne in mind that the Brigade has only recently been strengthened by the addition of 1 professional European Assistant: Station Officer and 17 firemen. The number proposed should therefore suffice for the present, but it may be necessary to supplement this num-

include the addition of Drivers and Attendants for the two new Ambul-Most of the European Service. It is considered that the Clerks should now be provided. Each with an Interpreter as in the Sanitary Department. These Interpreters will also do the clerical work of the provide an uninterrupted telephone service to answer calls at both stations, e.g., Headquarters and Kowloon.

> EQUIPMENT ON LAND. Recent comments have laid stress

After setting out a list of the outbreaks, such as have occurred on

EQUIPMENT AFLOAT.

It is not in my opinion necessary to supplement existing fire appliances bring the Chinese firemen up to a in the harbour are fortunately of comparatively rare occurrence and present in the circumstances, the very large outlay on a new motor fire of float is not warranted by the work quire capable of dealing with ordinary fires on ships in the harbour. and should necessity arise, they can employed by the Hongkong Whampoa of which, and particularly the former, have very powerful fire pumps on board. In this connection entered into with the Companies with fire fighting appliances at the disposal of the Fire Brigade in cases emergency and if available am satisfied that the shipping in the harbour will be adequately

The bulk of the work of the floats Mr. Wolfe's recommendations, as is in connection with fires on land responsibility. When the outbreak far as the personnel of the Brigade and, owing to the peculiar situation is got under they stand by and make and the equipment on land and affoat of the City of Victoria and Kowloon. up the hose which again is only the lare concerned, are set forth at con- the floats are of very great service manual isbour of the Brigade. Pro- siderable length. In his remarks on either in fighting the flames direct perly and regularly drilled and work- the inadequacy and unsuitability of or in supplying the motor pumps ing together under protessional the Pire Brigade Headquarters, Mr. with water, thereby also saving fresh guidance, I am satisfied that they Wolfe refers to the project of the water which is a matter of importance would become thoroughly efficient new headquarters opposite the Central in the dry season. As the City and Kowloon both stretch out along th

protected against fire.

harbour for a great distance, the each float. The hose couplings of the 4" hose should be discarded and advisability of keeping both floats automatic couplings provided. the European Firemen instead of one only under banked further recommend that the Naval dent and substituting therefor Chin- full crew for the No. 2 float has been matter of lending assistance when crows are board ships. Their general training of 2 as at present. It is proposed recommended for both. One float and familiarity with ships make of 2 as at present. It is proposed to retain the European Firemen would then do duty in Hongkong and fight an outbreak of fire on board and. Motor Drivers who are one in Kowloon. The possibility of ships. They are also supplied with members of the ronce rorce delay in getting across the harbour amoke helmets. It would, I think, be sufficiently trained to carry on by should thus be entirely eliminated. advisable to have a definite arrangethemselves. The Chief Executive Certain improvements on the floats ment with the Naval Authorities for experience of a Superintendent in the arrangement of the hose lockers is Naval parties at present attend all

> An electric light plant on No. 1
> Fire Float has been approved and
> will be supplied forthwith. The float
> will be lighted up and clusters of
> lights worked from the float or in
> the alternative a searchlight. A lights worked from the float or in the alternative a searchlight. A portable searchlight should be carried on No. 2 float. A certain number of powerful oil lamps and also electric hand torches should be carried on board as has been suggested. A coffee machine and a supply of provisions for frames should also be carried on Storekrepser. for firemen should also be carried on Storekeepers.

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	SINGAPORE. July 23C. M. Chima.	EUROPEAN PORTS, BRINDISI, VENICE & TRIESTE.	One hour, 0.30 0.60 Two hours, 0.50 0.80 Three hours, 0.70 1.00 Six hours, 1.00 1.50		THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT OWNS	Midland Bank, Ltd. Every description of Sanking and Exchange business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities.	Hankow Phom-Penh Yunniofn
	Aug. SA. L. Lake (mawa.	BRINDISI, VENICE & TRIESTE. July 30.—L. T. Cilicia.	Day (6 a.m. tc 6 p.m.) 1.50 2.00	EPEIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Voeux Road Central	74, Rue Saint-Lazare, PARIS	Interest allowed on Current Deposit Account at the rate of Two per cent, per annum on Savings Account Four per cent per annum, and on Fixed Deposits at the following rates: For I months at the rate of 3% per annum	IN FRANCE: Comptoir Nationa d'Escompte de Paris; Cradit Lyonnais, Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
		LONDON. July 23G. L. Glepavy.	RICKSHAS.	Season and punch tickets available for all cars not all ready full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables but not		For 6 months at the rate of 4% per annum. For 12 months at the rate of 5% per annum. EAN TONG PO.	Société Générale. IN LONDON: The National Des
	July 27.—I.C.S.N. Chunsang. Aug. 1.—O. S. K. Kishu Marn. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.	27.—G. L. Glenluce. 29.—O. S. K. Siam Maru. 30.—P. & O. Syria. Aug. 3.—N. Y. K. Yokohama Maru.	in Victoria. Ten minutes, 5 cents	tion at the Company's Office. No Sesson ticket will be issued until payment therefor has been made in Bank Notes or by Checus or Compra-	Bordeaux Lyon Swatow Canton Marseilla Tientsin	Hongkoug, October 1st., 1926.	Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais.
	MANILA.	10.—P. & O. Kalyan. 12.—B. F. Teucer. 14.—O. S. K. Himalaya Maru.	Half hour,	JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,	Haiphong New York Vladivostock	Incorporated by Special Imperial Charter 1900	IN NEW YORK: J. P. Morgan & Co., French American Banking Corporation, Guaranty Trust Co. of New York. Interest allowed on Current Accounts
	July 22.—I.C.S.N. Loongsang. Aug. 2.—A. L. Silver State. 12.—B. F. Toucar. 70.—B. F. Talthybius.	16.—B. F. Teiresiaa. 16.—E. L. Kasama.	Note.—If the ricksha be engaged within the City of Victoria, and be dis-	HONGKONG STOCK	Hanoi Paom Perh Yunnanfu Saigon	Capital Subscribe-lYen 60,000,000 Capital (Paid-up), 65,000,000	rangement. Every description of banking and
	30,—C. M. Nanking. Best. 21.—B. F. Tyndareus. Oct. 13.—B. F. Protesilaus.	30.—B. F. Calchas. 31G. L. Glenamoy. Sept 1.—G. L. Glenade.	charged outside the Western part of the City of Victoria after 9 p.m., or be dis- charged to the East of Bay View Police Station on the Eastern side of the City	EXCHANGE.	BANKERS:	HEAD OFFICE: TAIPEH, FORMOSA.	V. MARSOT,
	Nov. 9.—B. F. Ixion. 28.—B. F. Talthybius.	6.—B. F. Ke-mun. 13.—B. F. Neleus.	of Victoria after 9 p.m., an extra half fare shall be chargeable. II.—In Kowloon	HONGKONG, JULY 20th 1921.	In FRANCE: Société Générale gour havoriser le Développement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en	BRANCHES: JAPAN-Tokyo, Yokohama, Koba, Osara,	Hongroeg, Nov. I, 1920. THE CHINESE MERCHANTS
	July 25.—I.C.S.N. Yannis.	20.—B. F. Glaucus. 26.—G. I., Glenariffe.	Quarter hour,	OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS	France, in LONDON: London Joint City &	FORMOSA-Giran, Kagi, Karenko, Keelung, Makung, Nanto, Pinan, Shinchiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takow, Tameni,	HEAD OFFICE.
	Jaly 21C. N. Taikocwanyi.	30.—P. & O. Somali. Oct. 11.—B. F. Pyrrhus. 14.—P. & O. Sondan.	Every subsequent hour, 10 , III.—Taipo Road.	H.S.B.C.T. I. sellingrate on London 2/7.3. and on Shanghai \$73.	National Bank.	Tohyen, Aks. CHINA—Shanghal, Hankow, Klukiang, Amoy, Foochow, Swatow, Canton.	Alexandra Buildings, Chater Food General Banking and Exchange business transacted.
		Nov. 11.—P. & O. Fardinia. Karmala.	Twenty cents shall be added for each extra hot or part of an hour if the hirer causes	Fact Into Donk Oten h	mercial Centres of the World.	Boerabaya, Semarang, Batavis, Bombay, London, New York.	Loans granted on approved securities. Current Accounts opened and rixed Deposits received at caten which may be
•	INDIAN PORTS, ETC.	July 28.—B. F. Agamemnon. Aug. 8.—B. F. Eurypyles.	the journey to take longer than :— o 4th mile— single 75 cents 1 hour.	MARINE INSURANCES. Canton Insurance \$405 n.	Telegraphic Address: CHIBANKIND. Interest on Current Accounts and	London County Westminster and Parr's Bank: The Bank has Commondents in the Commonial	The Bank also conducts a Savings Department
	CALCUTTA. (Via Rangoon).		Beyond 4th to 6th mile—single\$ hours.	Yangtaza Insurance \$24 b.	Fixed Deposits in Local Currency and in Gold. Terms on application.	Sentres in the European Continent, Russia, Manchuria, Singtao, Japan, Indo-Chine, Siem, India, Philippine : slands, Java, and other Dutch Indies, Australia, Interion, Africa, &c.	K. C. LAU, Chief Manager Honghong, Aug. 17, 1920.
	July 25.—N. Y. K. Rangoon Maru. 27.—I.C.S.N. Laisang 30.—B I. Gregory Apear.	Oct. 3B. F. Eumaeus.	return\$1.504 " Beyond 6th to 9th mile- single\$1.759\frac{1}{2} "	FIRE INSURANCES.	Every description of Banking and re- Exchange business transacted. Special facilities for French ex-	Seports at rates which will be quoted on application. S. KONDOH, Manager.	BANK OF CANTON
	Aug. 4.—N. Y. K. Hakodate Maru. 18.—B. I. Japan.	Sept. 10.—H E.A L Timanoek.	Beyond 9th to 11th mile— single\$2.00	Douglases \$60 n. H. K. Stermboots \$28 b.	change. M. MONTARGIS,	IONGKONG BRANOH: 3, Det Vour Road Central. Hongkong, September 1, 1920.	LIMITED
	BOMBAY AND COLOMBO. July 27.—O. S. K. Maley Maru. Aug. 20.—P. & O. Dunera.		mile to be a matter of previous arrange-	Do. (Det.) 270 Sa. & b. L.R.	Manager. Hongkong, April 9, 1921.	THE BANK OF CHINA.	HEAD OFFICE HONGKUNG.
	AUSTRALIAN PORTS.	Level and Storage of water in reservoirs	The fares here set out to apply to one ricksha with three coolies from Tsim Sha	Shell Transports 110/- n. Star Ferries ** \$31 n. REFERENCES.	THE INDUSTRIAL AND		FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted. CURRENT ACCOUNTS.
	SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. July 25.—E & A. Kanowna.	CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORLS	Teui,	China Fugare \$187 b Malabon Sugare \$55 n. Misuko.		Inndate of the Republic of China on	2% per annum on the daily credit balances of over \$100.00.
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•	JAPAN PORTS.	Tytam Intermediate Level with overflow Level with overflow tytam Tuk 14 ft. 2 in. Level with overflow Below everflow Fore New Change 17 ft.	Hongkong, July, 20 1921. On London—	Rhai Explorations J	Inquiry on our SPECIAL SERVICE will be welcomed.	HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.	For 12 Months 5% per annum. On demand 2% per annum.
• •	July 21.—P. & O. Manela. 21.—J.C.J.L. Tjiliwong. 22.—N. Y. K. Sado Marv.	Wong Net Chang, if ft. 14 ft. 6 in. Below overflow 11 in. Below overflow 14 ft. 6 in. Below overflow Pokishum. 4 ft. 3 in. Level with overflow Below overflow Level with overflow Economic and processing Econom	Bank, Wire 2/7-2 , On demand, 2/7-2 , 30 d ys sight,	Ural Campiana 19/- B. Docus, Wharves, Godowas, &c.	J. USANG LY. Manager, Hongkoog, July *, 1912.	HONGKONG BRANCH: 20/21	LOOK POONG SHAN, Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 24, 1921.
	22.—B. F. Cyclops. 22.—J.C.J.L. Tipleheet. 24.—N. Y. K. Tajima Maru.	7920 1921, fgtam 552.78 284.80 Tytam Byrwash 4 67 22.27	2/8-} Credits, 4 months' sight2/8-‡ Documentary 4 months' sight 2/10	H. & K. Wharis 196 s. H. & W. Dock 8:04 b, Shai Docks T 128 b. ex div.	NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL 🖪	onnaught Road, Central, Branches and Sub-branches all over China and Correspondents in Japan, New York,	THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE
	25.—Nanyo Y.K. d'rang Maru. 27.—N. Y. K. Nagato Maru. 20.—O. S. K. Shunko Maru. 30.—B. I. Japan.	Total 195.97 195.90 195.90 195.90 195.90 195.90 195.90 1,419.00 1,419.00 11.45 14.20 105.76 1,717.07 1,102.27	On Paris— On demard, 615 Credits, 4 months sight, 675	LANDS, HOTHIA & BUILDINGS.	8	an Francisco, Singapore and Manila. condon Bankers: — The National	BANK, LTD.
	Ang 1.—B. F. Keemun. 2.—P. & O. Kashmir. 2.—P & O. Khyber.	Consumption of water in the City and Hill Dusgrice in millions and decimals	On New York— On demand, 48# Credita, 60 days' sight 61	Central Estates \$143 b, Hongkong Hotels \$210 b, Hongkong Lands \$204 s. Humphreys \$101 n.	Established 18%. Anthorized Capital F. 100,000,000 £8,233,233 Paid-up Capital F. 80,000,000 £6,666,666	Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.	CAPTAL (fully paid up) _ Yen 100,000,000
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	25.—B. F. Glaucus. 22.—B. F. Fipenor.	Constant supply in all districts during	On Calcutts— Wire, 2071 On demand	Corron Mills LdT24 as,	Demahas at	National Bank. The Equitable Trust Company of New York.	BRANCESS AND AGRECIAN AND
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	28 - P. & O. Sardinia. Oct. 11.—P. & O. Karmala.	Cowloon Gravity: Level Level Gon Reservoir. With overflow with overflow Broshop IN without and Decidate on Gallons.	On demand, 108 On Shanghal - On demand 108 30 days sight (private paper)	Miscrilaneous	Osleutta Palembang (Solo) Cheribon Pekalongan Tebing Tinggi Diember Pénang (Deli)	Terms on application.	CHANGGEUN RANGOON DATEM (DAIMY) RIO DE JANGURO FRANCTION (MUNDOM) BARGOON
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	Ang. 2.—B. F. Protecilans.	month of June. 1920. 1-21 Consemption	Silver (per oz.) 37	China Providents \$12.10 n.	Correspondents at Colombo, Madras. Pondicherry, Bangkok, Saigon, Haiphong, Hanol, Amoy, Yokohama, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, &c., &c.	Special facilities for Home Ex-	Kai Yure Bingalorn Konn Bonradaya London Bydnny Los Angress Tirutely
	18.—C.P.O.S. Empress of Russia. 23.—C.P.O.S. Monteagle. 24.—B. F. Ixion.	housemptica per head id.8 13.4 gallets The Government Analyst's removes show	Hongkong 60 cents sub, par.	Hongkong Ropes \$25 n. Hongkong Tramways \$127 b.	. 7	ollowing rates.	Lyche Tokyo Manka Tempadyo Magariki Tempaau
	90 CDCS Transport Lines	*Population supplied estimated from 1921 Census.	Centon coins 14 % dis. Bar Silver in Hongkong 9 % pm. Chinese Coppur Cash 3 % pm.	Peak Tramways (Old) 49 n. Do. (New) \$1 n. Steam Laundrice \$3 b. ex div.	collection Bills of Exchange, home letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East, on the Continent, in Great Britain,	For 6 months—5% per annum For 12 months—5% per annum	NA207A VLADIVI. STOCK Interest allowed on Oursets Accounts. Deposits received for fixed periods at rates
	26.—C.P.O.S. Knopress of Bussia. 26.—C.P.O.S. Monteagle. Nov. 2.—B.F. Protesilaus.	T. I. President	Chinese Copper Cents 3 % pm. Rate of Native Interest 8 % Chinese Sub. Coin 141 % dia.	H.K. Sheel Four dry \$10½ b. Water-boats \$16 n. Waterns \$7,80 b. Wm. Powells \$18 b.	America and Anstralia, and transcent banking business of every-description. W. H. GROSKAMP, Acting Muneger.	TSUYKE PEI, Manager.	T. MBHIYAMA. Managee.
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MENTHOLATUM the BEST REMEDY

FOR COLD IN THE HEAD WHEN APPLIED IN THE NOSTRILS.

OBTAINABLE FROM CHEMISTS.

HONGKONG FIRE BRIGADE.

THE MENTHOLATUM CO

(Continued from page 8)

WATER SUPPLY AND WATER PRESSURE. Generally speaking the water supply for fire purposes is good. is controlled by the Water Authority, a Sub-Department of the P.W.D. The pressure in Victoria is good; though it varies considerably in different districts at different hours. -Group Hydrants have been supplied throughout the City. The group hydrants consist of groups of three hydrants at important points. The motor pumps are worked off a dam which is kept filled by the 3 hydrants which are close together, one hydrant being insufficient for the purpose as the draw off by the pump is too great. Before the introdection of group hydrants much time was lost in connecting up two or three hydrants situated some distance apart to feed the dam. It is further proposed to pump direct from the mains when possible by means of 3 way collecting heads fitted direct to the suction of the pump, thus avoiding the use of a dam, as the latter entails a good deal of waste of water and loss of pressure in the mains. The only difficulty which still exists as regards water pressure in the City is on the upper levels. These cannot be reached by the Motor Pumps, 25 there is no motor road to such levels as Queen's Gardens, May Road and Conduit Road. The danger of serious

worked direct off the mains. In Kowloon group hydrants have been provided. The pressure is very gnod indeed in Sham Shui Po (Sai Koki which is now connected up by = 10" main to the 12" principal feed main. This main is alto available in Shanghai Street up to Waterloo Road. The benefit of the 15" main in burden very uneven in its incidence. the benefit of the 15" main in Coronation Road as this main cannot he connected to the 18" main in Taipo Road until the Nathan end of Coronation Road is driven through the hill. It is anticipated that this connection will be through in about a year. Hunghom is supplied by an 8" main. The principal buildings at Tsim Sha Tsui, eg. The Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co.'s premises and Holt's 6. Captain Wedgwood Benn asked Wharf are served by the Fire Floats | whether the British Dyestuffs Coras are also the Hongkong and poration refused to supply British Whampoa Dock Co.'s premises. Out export firms with synthetic indigo on lying shippards are mainly protected the ground that they had their own by the Fire Floats. Such premises selling arrangements in the Far East, however should have and mostly do and suggested that the decision have their own fire appliances to tended to divert trade from this supplement the Government Fire country to Germany, Switzerland, Brigade. The owners of premises and the United States. where there are furnaces, black- Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme: I'am insmith's shops and matsheds cannot formed that under the arrangements expect the entire fire protection of made by the British Dyestuffs Cortheir premises to be undertaken by poration with their agents in China, the Fire Bricade. They should have the Corporation is precluded from their own fire service as is the case making sales of its products to meralready on all such premises as H M. | chants in this country when it is Naval Yard, The Kowloon and known that the goods are destined Whampoa Docks and the Tai Koo for export to and sale in China. It is,

or semi-detached. The pressure in

the mains is sufficient to confine an

The same remarks apply to the Peak

to Despatch Boxes containing hose

and standpipes and nozzles which are

present costs \$77,243 p.a. made up of the British Dyestuffs Corporation in

as follows: Personal Emoluments\$ 40,543 all such cases the agents of the Cor-Other Charges....... 36,700 poration supply without requiring Special expenditure on new

appliances for the year To which \$16,600 must be added owing to loss in exchange and higher prices prevailing now 16,630

The proposed expenditure entailed accounts for 1920 were adopted. The Buildings is as follows: Personal Emoluments\$ 59,102 fr. per share, of which 5 fr. were paid

Total.....\$108,602 Special Expenditure in 1922 is restimated at :-1 new Motor Pump......\$ 18 000

1 Terntable Ladder

Alteration and addition to

Floats Sarchlights on Floats

NEW POSTAL RATES. GENERAL IRRITATION.

FRESH BURDEN ON TRADE.

Mr. Kellaway's proposed postal reforms " will do nothing to increase public confidence, either in himself or in his Department. The new charges are to be imposed on the country at short notice—in the high-handed way to which we are now becoming accustomed-without any consultation of the House of Commonsofficial case is simple. There is a large deficit; the Post Office, if it is to pay its way must have more revenue; all that; need be done is immediately to cu' down services and put up rates. The public, however, does not take so light-hearted a view of the matter. The Post Office has done little sinc. the war to improve its service; indeed, it is notoriously more inefficient now than it was before; and the Postmaster-General will require to dispel the general irritation and suspicion by a large his present proposals. Taken in detail, there are several of the new rates which are indefensible. One is the three-half-penny postcard, which means an increase of 200 per cent, on the pre-war rate, and brings the postcard up to three quarters of the price of a letter. In the printed paper rate, there clearly ought to be a discrimination. conflagrations on these levels is however slight as the houses are detached

To raise the price from 2d. to 1d. legitimate enough in the case of advertising circulars; the bulk of this sort of stuff that goes outbreak to the premises it starts in. through the post is not an essential part of a sound commercial oganisawhere the fire appliances are confined tion, and indeed, we do not see why it should not be charged at ordinary letter rate; our breakfast tables might then be littered with fewer unwanted communications. But indispensable business documents, such as invoices and receipts, are in a different category altogether, and ought to be treated quite differently. To double their cost is definitely to

DYES FOR EXPORT.

BRITISH CORPORATION'S AGENCY RULES.

In the House of Commons on June

however, open to merchants supplying ESTIMATE OF COST OF FIRE ERIGADE | the Chinese market to obtain their The upkeep of the Fire service at supplies in China through the agents that country. I am informed that in any information as to the ultimate responsible for the management of the British Dyestuffs Corporation, and the Board of Trade has no power 1921 is estimated at\$ 11,220 to dictate to firms the terms of their agency agreement,

At the annual general meeting Total 27,820 of the Banque de l'Indo Chine held Shanghai and North China 10,837,810 fr. The dividend of 115

> In conclusion I have no hesitation in saying that if the main proposals as to staff and equipment in this report are adopted, there is every reason to believe that the Hongkong Fire 2,500 Brigade will be capable of perform-6,000 ing any duties which it can reasonably be expected to perform and its Shanghai and North China \$61,500 efficiency should leave no room for adverse comment of any kind.

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SERVICE PACIFIC (via Kobe and Yokohama) PROTESILAUS" 3rd Aug. Victoria, Sesttle and 24th Aug. MOIZI Vancouver

"TALTHYBIUS" 14th Sept. SERVICE NEW (via Sues or Panama) via Suez

PASSENGER SERVICE

6th Aug.

8th Aug. " ASCANIUS 16th Aug. "TEIRESIAS 7th Sept. " ASCANIUS 11th Oct. "PYRRHUS"

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FRIDAY, JULY 29. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Halhong 1 p.m. SATURDAY, JULY 30. Shanghai, North China, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Un'ted States, Central & South America, & LUROPE via SAN FRANCISCO. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.... Shanghai and North China, Yingchow TUESDAY, AUGUST 2.

*Correspondence bearing versel's name only

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27.

THURSDAY, JULY 28.

Shanghai and North China Sunning11 a.m.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

For M. M. s.s. "Porthos,"-from Marseilles for Hongkong:—Capt H. S. Mills, Mr and Mrs Gaines, Mrs Peterson and children, Mr and Mrs Soura. For Shanghai, Mr and Mrs Moss, Mr and Mrs Gornet, Mrs Levy, Mr de Crann, Mr and Mrs Korostovetz, Mr and Mrs Caplain, Mr Sequels Mr Noblet, Mr Bouillard, Mr Gullananin, Miss Ferena, Mr and Mrs Liebrecht, Mr Destriess, Mr Korostovetz, Mr and Mrs Kochl, Mr Ropin, Mr Giberg, Mr Gattiker, Miss Foschi, Miss M. Kore, Miss Chebault, Mr Harbsink,

DEPARTURES.

Per s.s. "Mentor.":—Lieut. J. V.
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W. G. Clark, Mr Cline, Mr and
Mrs E. Cockburn, Mr M. Davis,
Mrs T. R. Dunlep, Mr. F. H. Dod,
Mr F. S. Farnshaw, Mr and Mrs Eddy,
Mr M. S. Essan, Mr T. L. Fleming, Mrs
S. R. Ford, Mr J. H. Gill. Mrs Gibb and
son, Miss A. Graves, Mrs J. Helbling.
Mr J. Johnston, Mr Kentwell, Mr and
Mrs A. Lane, Mr W. Knight, Mr H. W.
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> The C.P.O.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Japan," arrived at Nagasaki on July 14 (7.30 s.m.) left there on July 18 (3 p.m. and is due at Kobe on July 19 (6 p.m.). The a.s "Cyclops" (Blue Funnel Line) left ingspore on July 16 for Hongkong

and is due here on July 21. The T. K. K. s.s "Shinyo Maru" was despatched from this port on Saturday for San Francisco via Shanghai and

Japan Ports. The China Mail s.s. "China," will arrive at this port on Wednesday afternoon, July 20, between 4 p m. and 6 p.m. She will be despatched for Singapore on Saturday, July 13 at 10 a m. Tha N. V. E. s.s. "Sado Maru" (European Line) left Singapore for this

The N. Y. K ss. "Tajima Maru" (Pombay Line) left Singapore for this port on July 17 and is expected here on

July 23. The N. Y K. a.s. "Wasaka Maru." (Bornbay Line) left Kobe for this port on July 17 and is expected here on July 24.

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.There has just been acquired for the collections in the Victoria and Albert Museum a particularly fine example of Chinese wood sculpture, an addition specially welcome, since the section is not too strong in Chinese sculpture generally. The two figures, an Emperor and his son (or it may be a high official), are represented engaged in some religious ceremony. The hands of the second figure are coming together in a signal evidently for some ceremonial act. On both figures are a few slight restorations only, and the colour remaining on them shows great richness and beauty. The period of this example is early Ming. Still earlier in date-probably early Twelfth Century, Sung-is another, much smaller seated figure in wood, also just bought for the Museum. It; too, shows remaining traces of colour. The figure represents Kwan-Yin, in the attitude of Kingly Repose. This example is not yet displayed in the galleries, but the Emperor and his Son (?) is already placed in Room 62.

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The Hongkong and Shanghai It was agreed to devote it to these Bank Athletic Sports, which, like so purposes. The weather was a little many other events, has been suspend- threatening, but the rain held off ed since 1914, were again held at the during the afternoon. There was Bank's Sports Ground at New Becken- a good attendance present, including ham on the afternoon of June 4. It Sir Charles and Lady Addis, Sir may be noted that since the last Newton and Lady Stabb, Sir John occasion of a meeting there has been Jordan, Mr. Byron Brenan, Mr. and erected a fine racquet court, and the Mrs. A. M. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. ground itself has been considerably. H. D. C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Geary extended in area. The racquet court, Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Murray, Mr. as well as another hard tennis court, H. Harwood, Mr. W. Adams Oram

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